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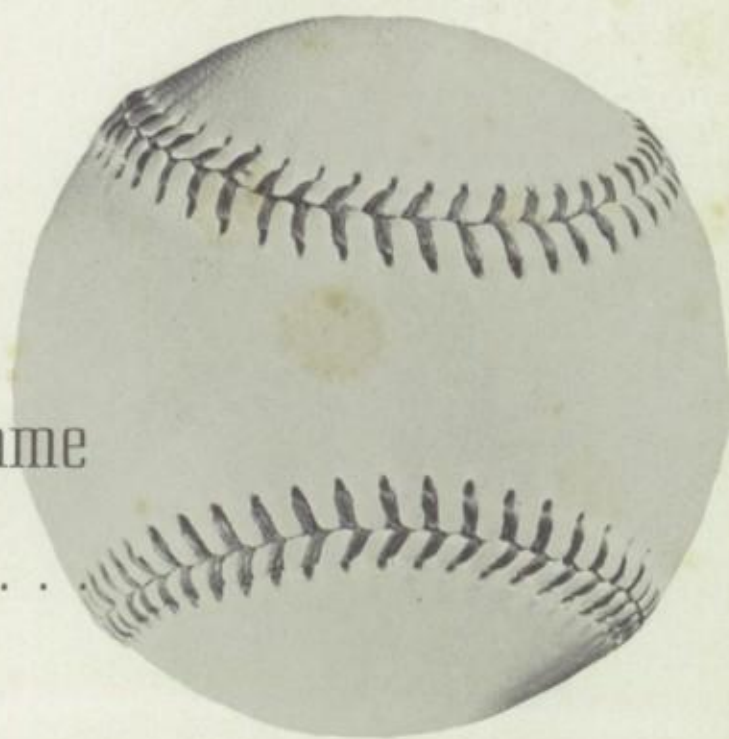
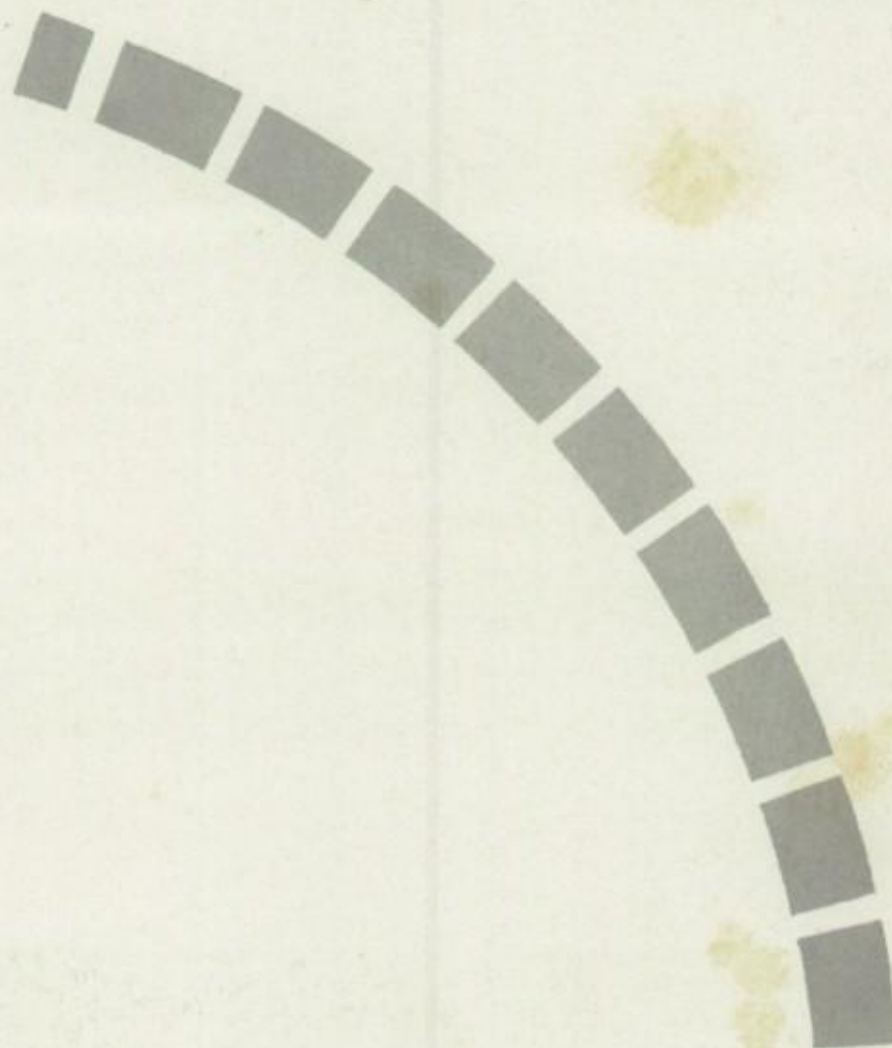


THE SPORTSMAN'S PRAYER

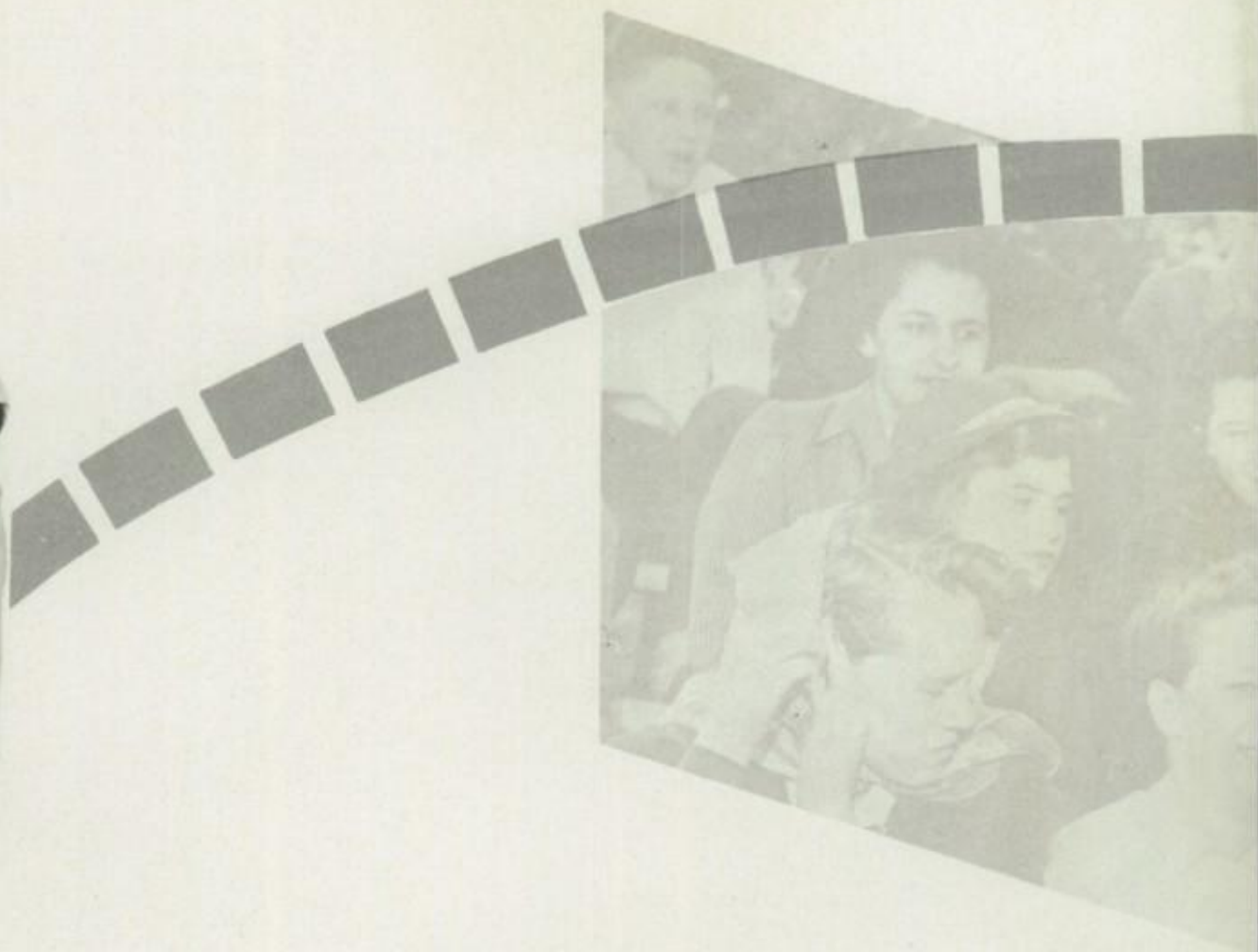
Dear God, help me to be a good sport and a good loser in this game of life. I don't ask to be the pitcher or for any prominent place in the line-up; play me anywhere You need me. I only ask that you give me the patience, courage, and stamina to give You the best I've got in every game. If all the hard drives seem to come my way, Lord, I thank You for the compliment. Help me always to remember that You won't ever let anything come my way that I cannot handle, and help me to take the bad bounces as part of the game. Help me to understand that the game of life is full of

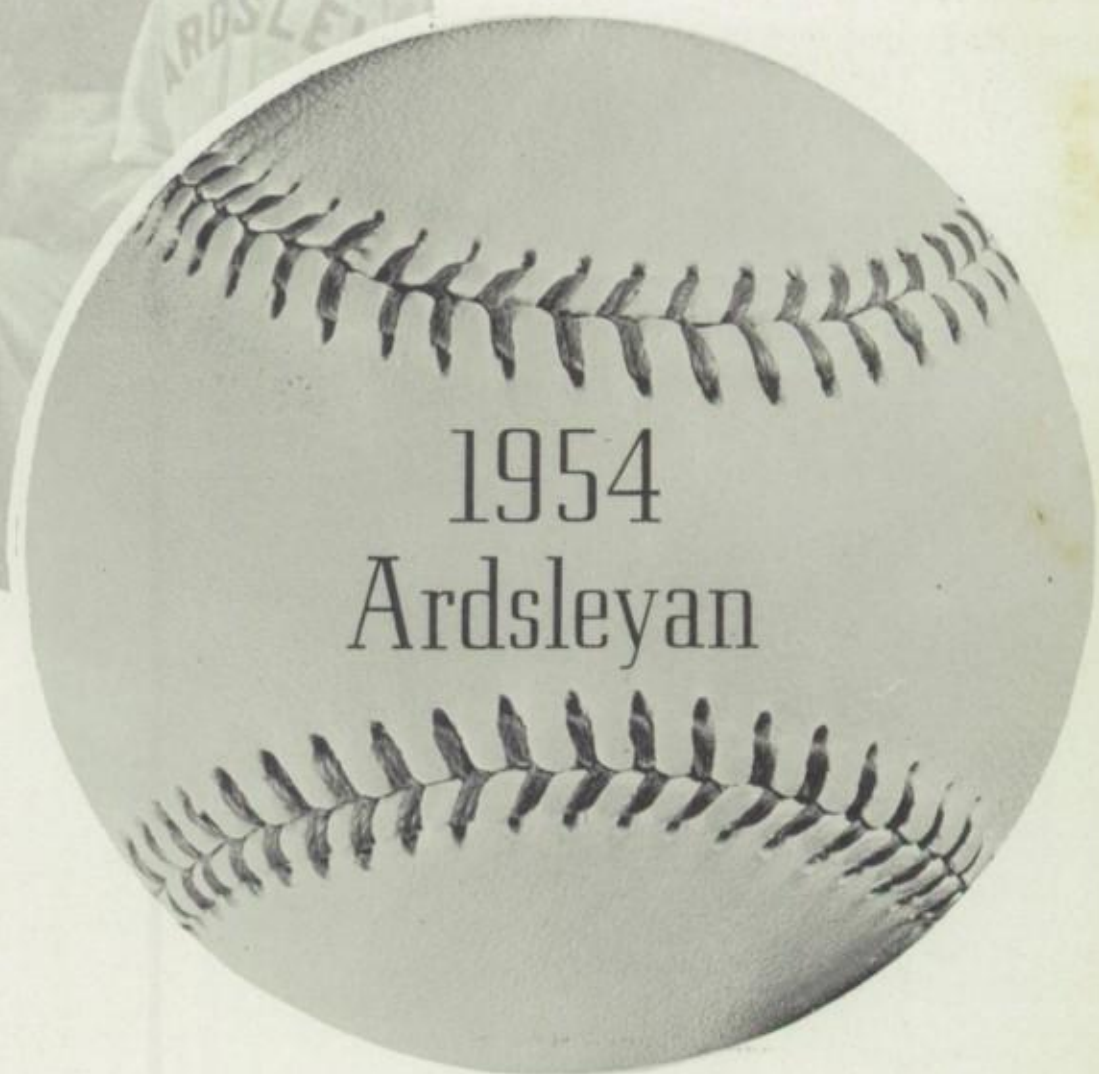
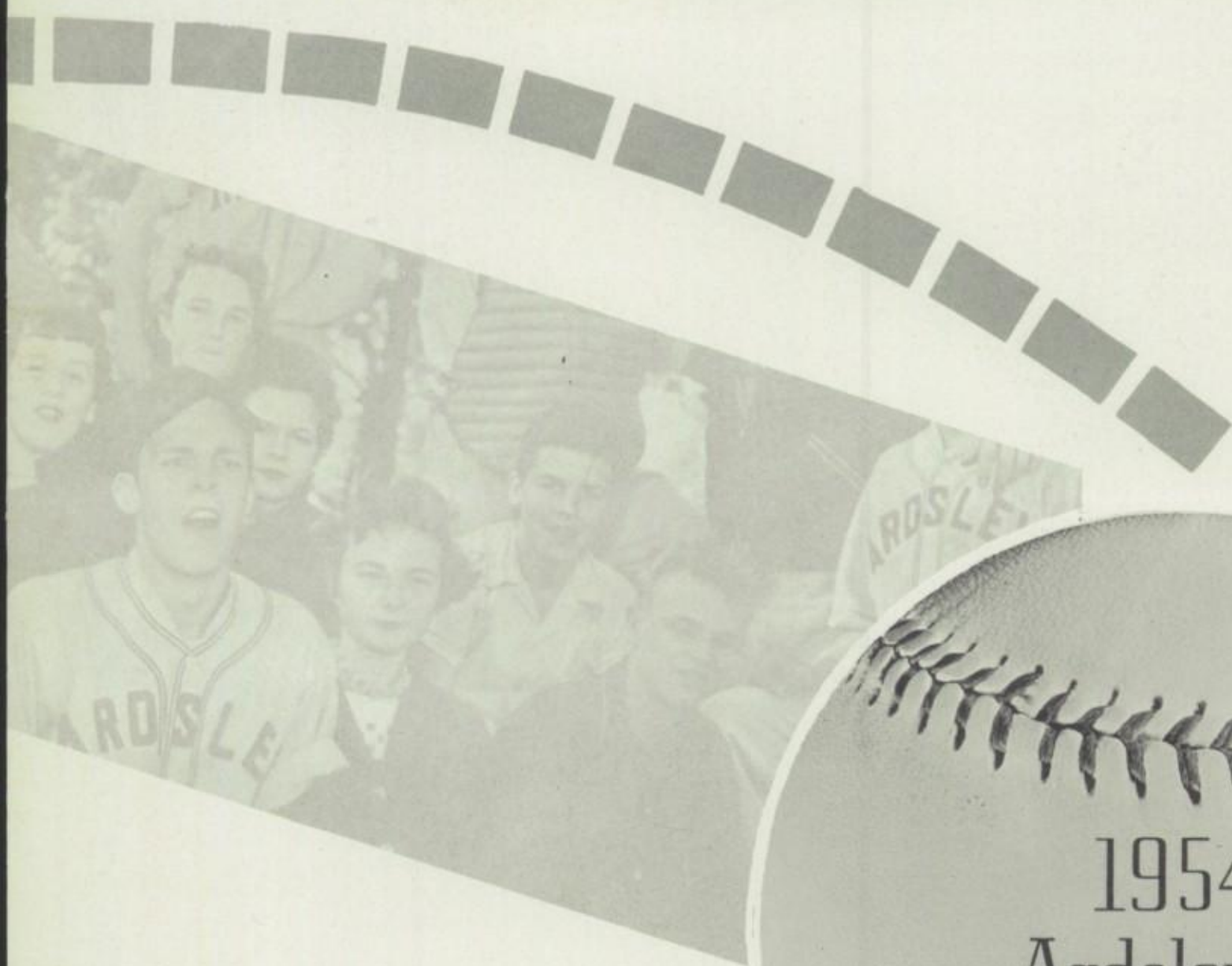
hard knocks, bad hops, and foul tips, and make me thankful for them. Help me to get so that the harder they come, the better I will like it, and grant that I shall never sidestep one that is too hot to handle, nor alibi, whimper, or complain that I have had a raw deal or that the game was a frameup. Use me wherever You will to play the game in such a way that You will have no regrets for giving me the chance; and finally, when we reach the last inning and the evening shadows are gathering, grant that I may win Thy decision and be counted safe at Home.

Author Unknown



Take me out to the ball game
and see . . .





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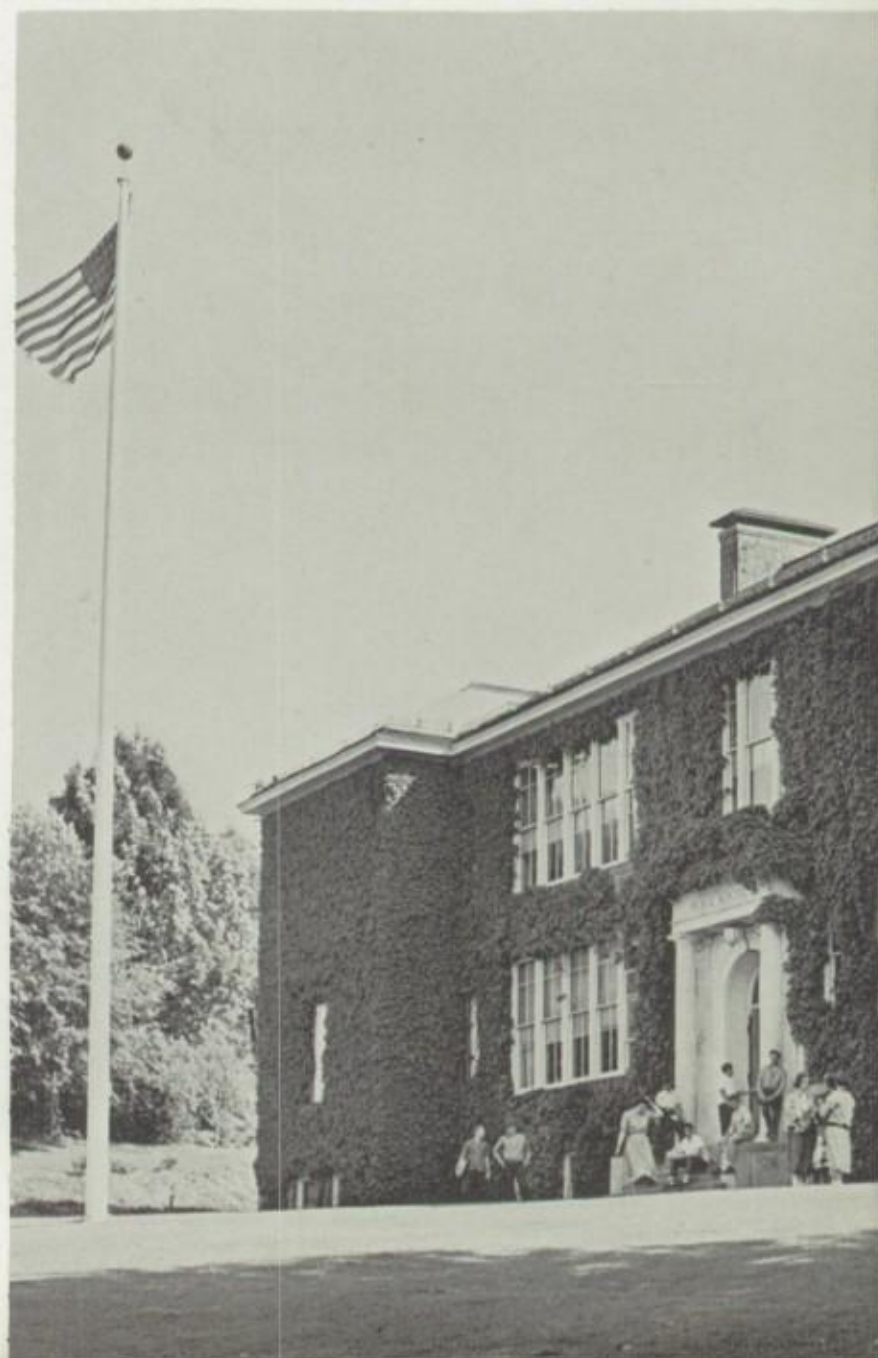
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Ardsley High School

Ardsley, New York

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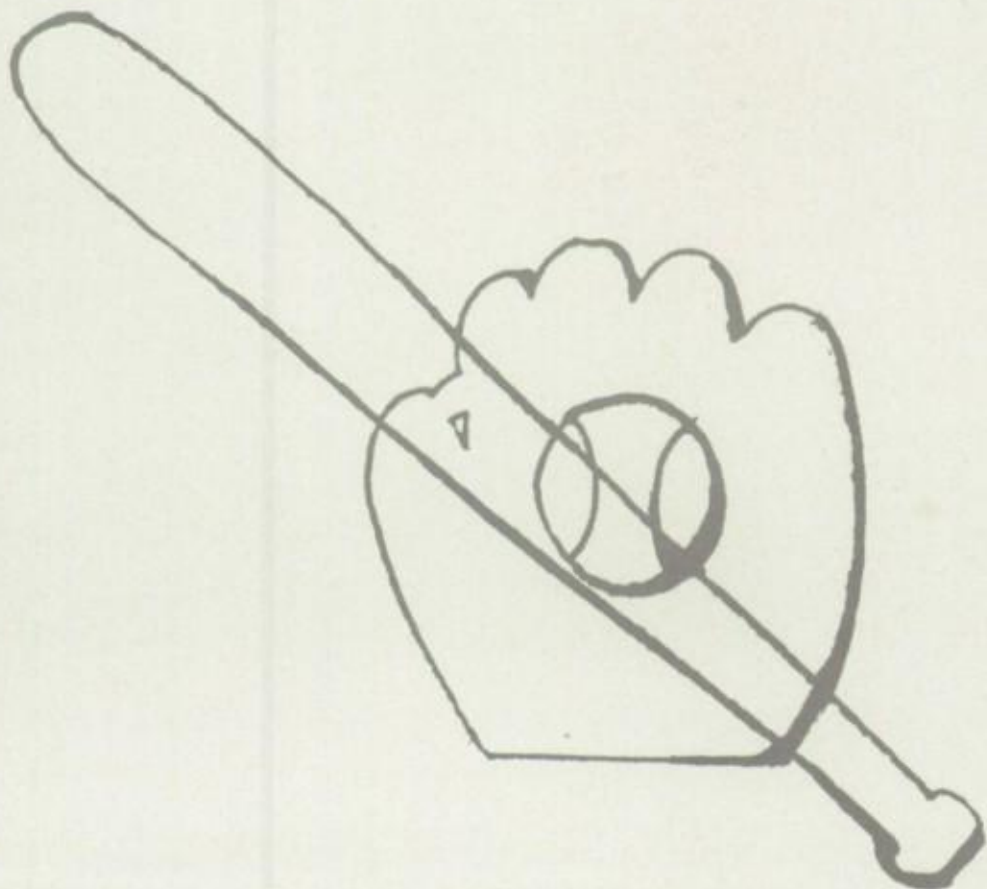
The Theme

Teamwork is necessary in almost every aspect of life and is especially important during our school days. Similarly, a winning baseball team requires the combined co-operation of all its players. In line with this comparison, our co-operation in school is portrayed in this ARDSLEYAN by a winning baseball team.

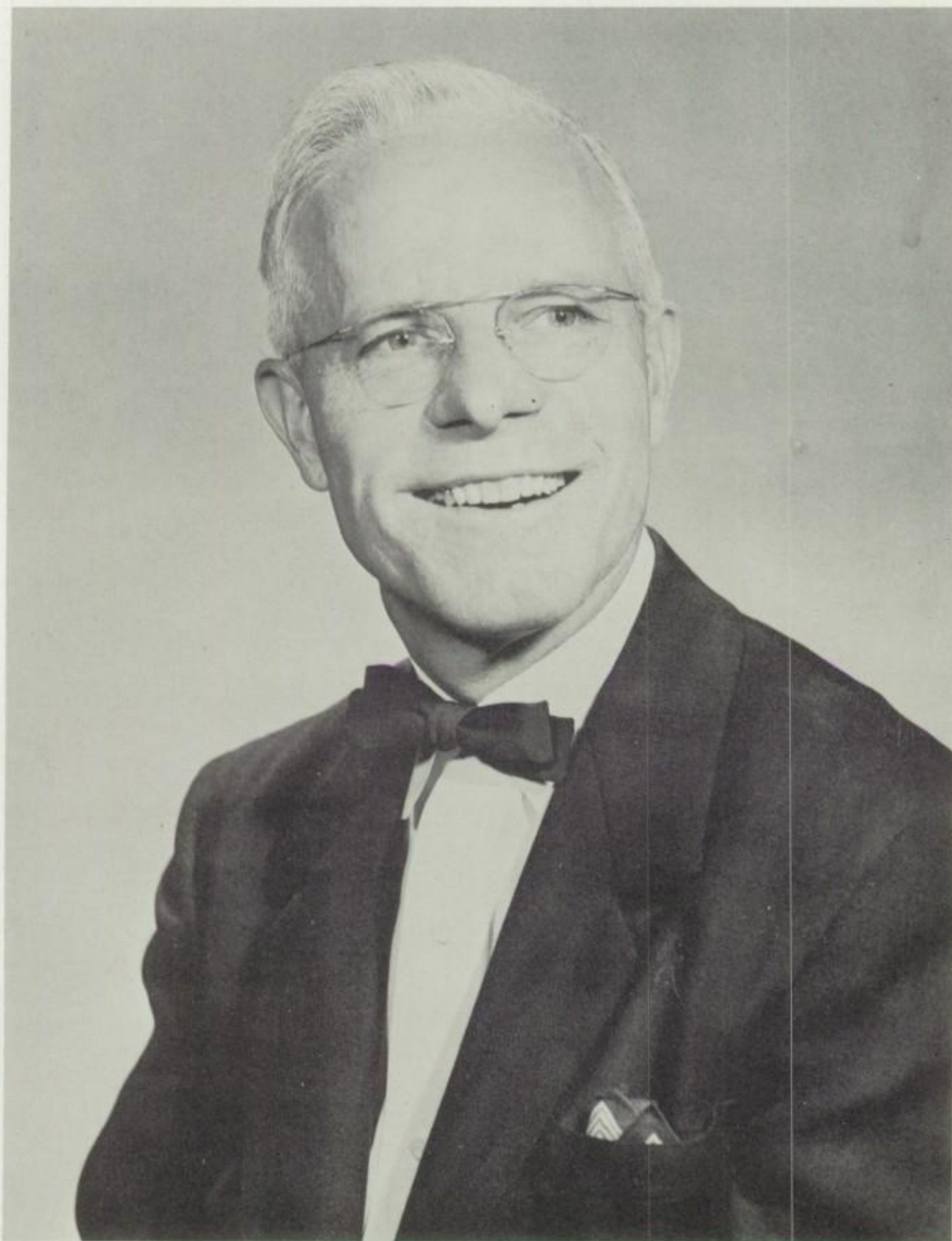
With the school as our stadium, the game within is umpired by our administrators and coached untiringly by the faculty. Our seniors are the pros who help their new teammates at practice. The freshmen, the rookies, start slugging and "beating out the hits" determined to push on to second. Backing up the veterans are the Little Leaguers, who begin in the Kindergarten to work themselves up to positions in the Big League.

Last year, Ardsley's baseball team won the championship of the Western Westchester League. As the editors thought of the new cup in the trophy case, it seemed appropriate to use as our theme the teamwork necessary in baseball, teamwork that applies equally as well to our experiences of co-operation in school.

May we take you out to our ball game?



We, the class of 1955, dedicate this Ardsleyan



Mr. Paul Koors

to Mr. Paul Koors



We dedicate this 1954 ARDSLEYAN to our English teacher and guidance counselor, Mr. Paul Koors, who always takes a sincere interest in our problems and our future.

The members of the Journalism Club and College Club know the time he spends to make our high school years more worthwhile. The "Salt and Pepper," our school paper, is read by practically all of the students, but few realize the effort that is involved. Mr. Koors' guidance office is frequently visited by the juniors and seniors who are seriously making decisions about college and by all who come for advice about scheduling and marks or just need a little encouragement.

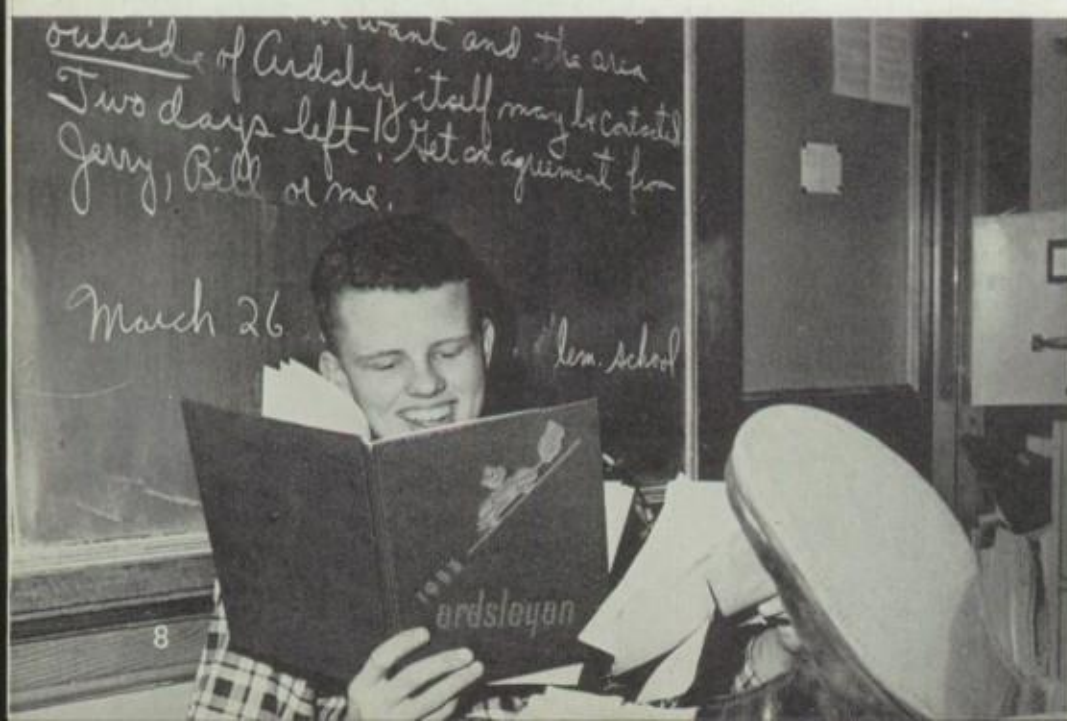
With appreciation for all the help that you have given us scholastically and otherwise, we, the class of '55, dedicate this yearbook to you, Mr. Koors.

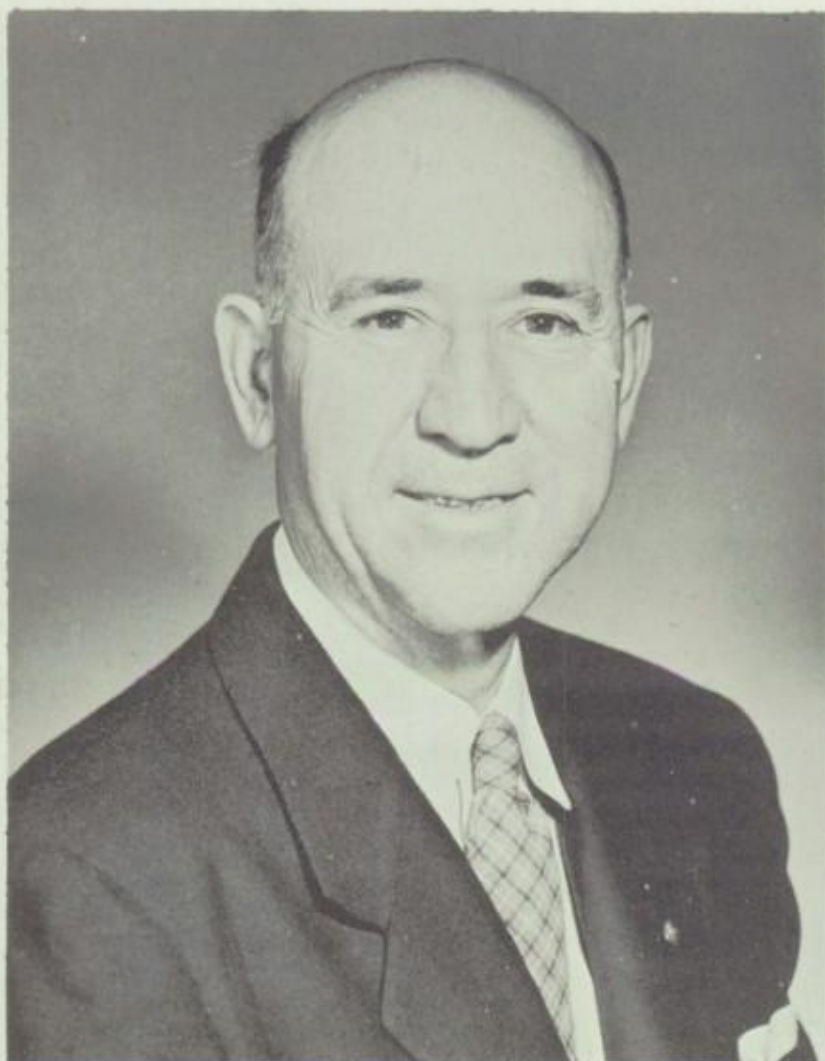




THE SPORTSCAST

Biology Camp	Week of September 28
Subscription Dance	November 6
Potsdam Symphonette Concert	November 19
P.T.A. Christmas Dance	December 19
Ardsleyan: First third of book	January 15
Basketball Season	January 8—February 26
Ardsleyan: Second third of book	February 15
All-Star Game	March 5
P.T.A. High School Hop	March 26
Ardsleyan: Final third of book!	March 26
Senior Play	April 2, 3
Baseball Season	April 9—May 27
Spring Concert	April 20, 21
Washington Trip	April 20-24
Senior Prom	June 11
Graduation	June 26





MR. ARTHUR W. SILLIMAN has been the supervising principal of Ardsley High School for thirty years. Because of his intense interest in teaching school groups leadership and responsibility through over-night camping trips, Ardsley has become one of the pioneers in outdoor education. His sincere encouragement of both faculty and students spurs them on to greater achievements.

MR. KENNETH BROWN taught physical education and coached the Ardsley High School teams for many years before he became principal of the elementary school this year. He daily gains the respect of his students and teachers by filling in at all positions besides guiding his young student body in their many activities.



Our umpires are fair;



Mr. Charles W. Horend
Assistant Principal
Science, Driver Education
B.S., Cornell University



Mr. Harlan A. Thomas
Department Head of the
Upper Grades
Grade Eight
M.A., Columbia University

the managers keep



Mrs. Ruth B. Adams
Grade 2A
B.E.
Brockport State Teachers'
College



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Grade 1A
M.A.
Columbia University



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Special Teacher—Music
B.S.
Columbia University



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Grade 6B
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Cortland State Teachers'
College



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B.S.
New Paltz State Teachers'
College



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Secretary to Mr. Silliman



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School Nurse, R.N.
Albany Hospital



Miss Eleanor I. Davis
Art and Ceramics
Potsdam Normal



Mr. Alex Diccio
Commercial Subjects
B.S.C.
Albany State Teachers'
College



Mrs. Judith Drosness
Special Teacher—Art
M.S.
Albany State Teachers'
College



Miss Harriett S. Edwards
Grade 4E
New Paltz Normal



Mr. Everett Einhorn
Grade 8E
M.A.
Columbia University



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M.A.
Brussels' University
New York University



Mrs. Ethel J. Farnham
Grade 2F
Plattsburgh State Normal
School



Mr. Clarence E. Felter
Social Studies
M.A.
Bucknell University

our batting averages



Mrs. Alice Frischmann
Grade 5F
B.A.
College of New Rochelle



Miss Annette L. Gimbel
Secretary to Mr. Silliman



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Music
B.E.
Potsdam State Teachers'
College



Mr. Howard T. Hartman
Industrial Arts
M.A.
Oswego State Teachers'
College



Mrs. Louise K. Hatfield
Grade 1H
B.A.
University of California



Mrs. Vivian L. Hill
Grade 4H
B.A.
Hunter College



Mrs. Ruth H. Howes
Home Economics
M.A.
Columbia University



Mrs. Lois L. Hoy
Kindergarten
B.S.
Columbia University



Miss Ruth Hurlbut
Grade 3Hu
Potsdam State Normal



Mr. Michael Jackman
Physical Education
B.S.
Arnold College



Miss Rosemary Keating
Grade 2K
B.A.
Wheaton College



Mr. Frank Kuge
Mathematics
Driver Education
M.A.
Columbia University



Mrs. Elinor B. Koenig
English IV, Dramatics
Library, Speech
M.A., New York University
B.L.S., Columbia University



Mr. Paul J. Koors
English III
Guidance Counselor
M.A.
Columbia University



Miss Helga Nordin
Secretary to Mr. Brown

and coach us untiringly.



Miss Dorothy M. Pelda
English I and II
M.A.
New York University



Mrs. Margaret Y. Reuter
Grade 4R
Philadelphia Normal School



Miss Helen G. Robbie
Latin, Spanish
M.A.
New York University



Miss Grace A. Roll
Physical Education
M.A.
Columbia University



Mrs. Janice Ruotolo
Grade 3R
B.A.
Hunter College



Mrs. Myrtle Seberg
Grade 1S
M.A.
Columbia University



Mrs. Helena Snyder
Grade 6S
Oswego State Teachers'
College



Mrs. Louise Squeri
Kindergarten
B.A.
Brooklyn College



Miss Florence Stasiak
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B.S.
Oswego State Teachers'
College



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Grade 3T
Potsdam State Teachers'
College



Miss Ethel M. Tryon
Grade 5T
Potsdam Normal



Mr. Mitchell C. Vincent
Director of Music
Ed.M.
New York University



Miss Margaret Wesp
Grade 7WE
B.Pd.
New York Training School



Mrs. Ruth H. Wessels
Grade 5W
B.A.
University of Mississippi



Mr. William Walter
Grade 7WO
B.A.
Cornell College



Miss Robbie and the Latin II class



Mr. Diccio and bookkeeping class

The game couldn't go on without them



Mr. Felter and the American history class



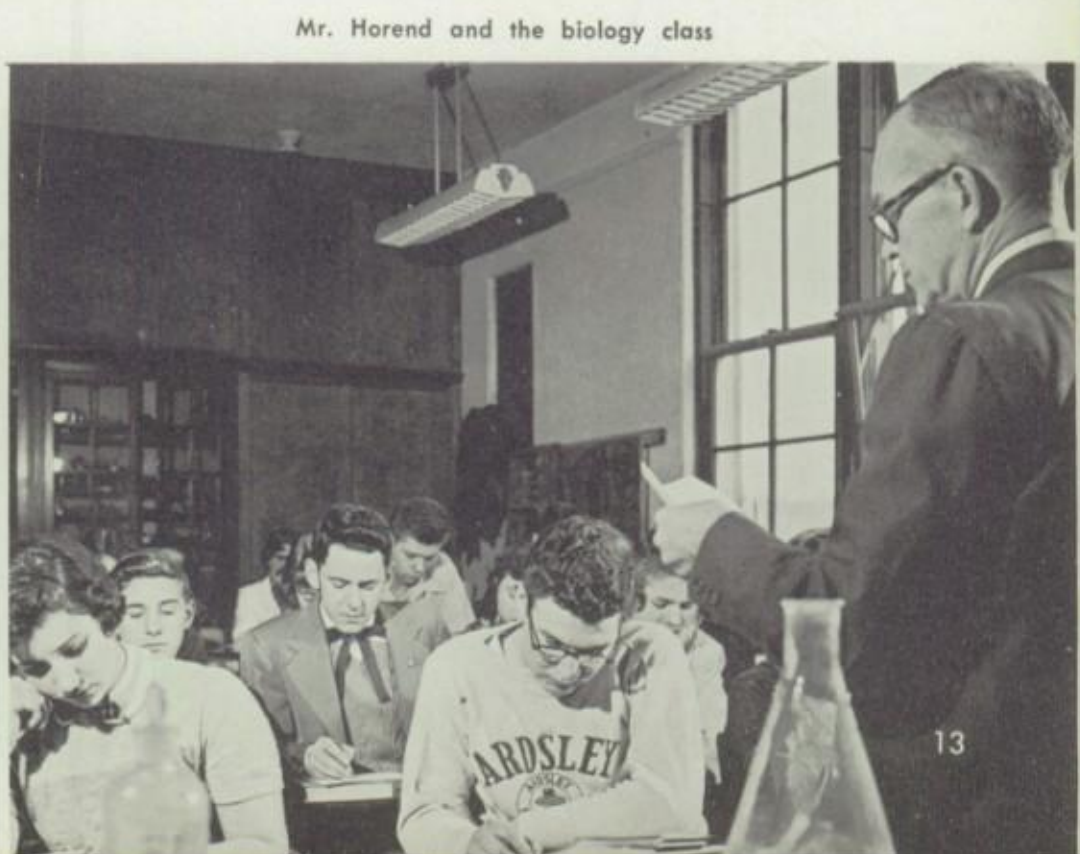
Miss Pelda and an English II class



Mr. Kluge and the geometry class



Mrs. Howes and a sewing class



Mr. Horend and the biology class

nor without the work of the groundkeepers.



Mr. Thomas Wilmoth
Bus Driver



Mrs. Blanche Shea
Cook—Manager



Mr. John Holscher and Mr. George VanDusen
Custodians



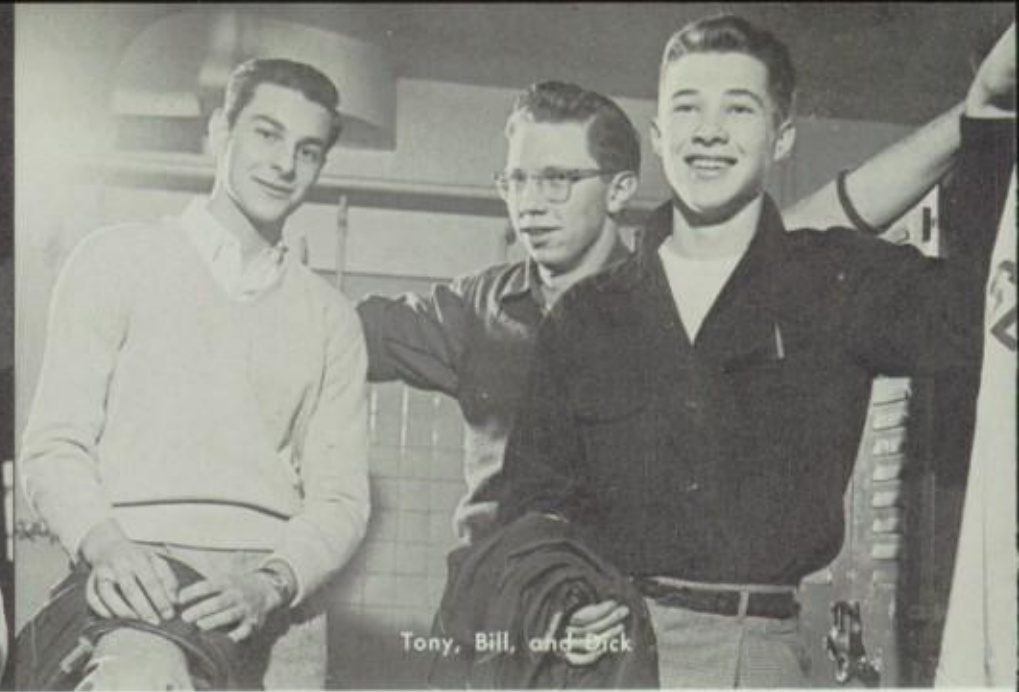
Mr. Harry Denike
School Guard

The Major League





Bob, Joe, and Dave



Tony, Bill, and Dick



Ann and Maggie



Ruth, Lally, and Ellen



Carol, Royce, and Marianne



Barbara, Laura, and Dot

As we round the bases,

FIRST BASE

In June, 1950, our class stood with bat in hand and in September, we reached first base, the freshman class. We felt like rookies and decisions were hard for us, but our adviser, Mr. Felter, coached us patiently and helped us to know when to stay on base and when to go ahead. We worked hard for the Subscription Campaign and then gave a movie to add to our own Washington fund. By June we really felt a part of high school, and we were ready to advance to the next base.

SECOND BASE

Our sophomore year was a memorable one, for we were introduced to the three-period classes and spent a week at Croton Point Biology Camp. There we not only studied conservation at its source, but we also studied each other and returned to Mr. Kluge's homeroom with firmer friendships and a better knowledge of the members of our class. During the winter we sold candy at the basketball games, and in the spring the class went roller skating. Again Time was at bat. Another year had passed, and we went on to third base.



Rose, Ruby, and Louise



Ruth and Bob
Most Athletic

we look back on our wins and losses.

THIRD BASE

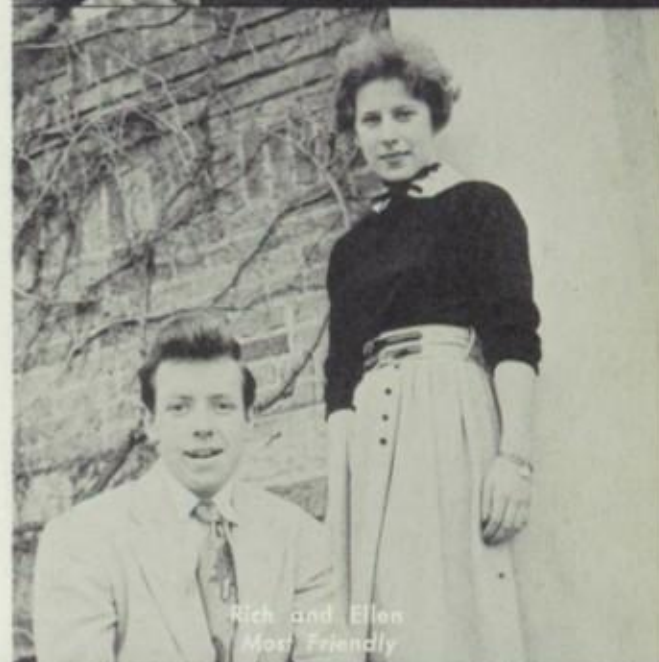
Our biggest project while we were Juniors was the 1953 ARDSLEYAN. All year we planned, sold ads, took pictures, and worked diligently with Miss Pelda. Finally in June, our book came out and was given a #1 rating by the Columbia Scholastic Press Association! With Miss Robbie's help we presented the senior prom. For weeks we cut and painted in Mrs. Adams' room, and the result was a romantic tropical island, complete with jungle flowers, palm trees, parrots, and a grass hut. Now we were ready to leave third base for our last run home.

HOME BASE

Our first activity was the Subscription Campaign and the party we gave for all who had sold subscriptions. In April it was time for the senior play, "Our Miss Brooks," with Mrs. Koenig coaching us. Soon afterwards, we took our long-awaited trip to Washington, D. C. Then it was June once again, our last June in Ardsley. As we stepped onto home plate to receive our diplomas, we couldn't help looking back fondly at the field over which we had just run and wondering what new games, what new victories or defeats lay in store for us in the future.



Lolly and Dick
All Around Favorites



Rich and Ellen
Most Friendly



Rich, Joey, and Mike



Barty, Bill, and Bob



B. RICHARD BANCROFT

Dick is our southpaw favorite.

Treas. 1, 2; Pres. 3; Subscription Manager 4; Honor Society 5 years; Second Degree 1 year; Third Degree 4; ARDSLEYAN Ass't Editor 3; Band 2, Pres. 2; Varsity Choir 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 3, Pres. 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Clef Club 3, 4; Regional Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Competition 1, 2; Varsity Basketball 3, 4; Jr. Varsity Basketball 1, 2; Varsity Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4, Treas. 4; Intramurals: Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 2, 3, Pres. 2, Sec. Treas. 3; Graduation Usher 3; Student Council 1; Yearbook Club 2; Ted of "Our Miss Brooks."



WILLIAM J. BELL

Billy has unequalled fielding experience.

Honor Society 1 year; Junior Varsity Basketball 1, 2; Stage Crew 1.

Here are the seniors, our pros.

BARBARA G. CANNING

Barbara is the box-office attraction.

Honor Society 9 years; Second Degree 5 years; Varsity Choir 1, 2, 4; County Chorus; Cheerleader 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Creative Writers' Club 1; Yearbook Club 2; College Club 4, Vice Pres; Miss Brooks of "Our Miss Brooks," Sports Club 3, 4.

JOSEPH M. DENARDO

Joey is our ace sports reporter.

Honor Society 8 years; Second Degree 4 years; ARDSLEYAN Business Manager 3; Salt and Pepper 1, 2, 3, 4, Editor-in-Chief 3, 4; Intramurals: Basketball 1; Yearbook Club 2, Pres. 2; Martin of "Our Miss Brooks."





ANTHONY DePAUL

A hustler all the way

Honor Society 4 years; Varsity Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Clef Club 3, 4; Regional Choir 3, 4; Varsity Basketball 3, 4; Jr. Varsity Basketball 1, 2; Varsity Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4, Vice-Pres. 4; Intramurals: Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 3, 4, Pres. 3; Graduation Usher 3; Yearbook Club 2; the Coach of "Our Miss Brooks."



BARTY DeROCHA

Barty makes the long drives.

Honor Society 4 years; Intramurals: Softball 3, Basketball 1, 2, 3; Stage Crew 1, 2, 3, 4.

They have the sense of fair play



LUCILLE A. DiMODUGNO

Lucy's our peppy shortstop.

Honor Society 2 years; Salt and Pepper 4, Treas. 4; Varsity Choir 3, 4; G.A.A. 3, 4; Intramurals: Volleyball 3, 4, Basketball 3, 4, Baseball 3, 4; Graduation Usher 3; Elsie of "Our Miss Brooks."



WILLIAM R. FINGER

Billy is our topnotch score keeper.

Treas. 3, 4; Honor Society 9 years; Second Degree 3 years; Third Degree 3, 4, Treas. 4; ARDSLEYAN Circulation Editor 3; Jr. Varsity Baseball 1, 2; Intramurals: Softball 1, 2, Basketball 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3; Graduation Usher 3; Yearbook Club 2; Mr. Wadsworth of "Our Miss Brooks."



MARGARET M. FLANIGAN

Maggie has the driving spirit.

Honor Society 3 years; Salt and Pepper 4; Varsity Choir 1, 2; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals: Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Sports Club 3, 4; Yearbook Club 2; Mrs. Allen of "Our Miss Brooks."



DAVID FLUSKEY

A good defensive player

Honor Society 1 year; Varsity Basketball 4; Junior Varsity Basketball 2, 3; Jr. Varsity Baseball 2; Intramurals: Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4, Basketball 1, 4; Boy Scouts 1, 2.

that they need to win or lose

RICHARD FRISCHMANN

Rich is our league's most valuable player.

Pres. 1, 2, 4; Honor Society 9 years; Second Degree 1 year; Third Degree 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4; ARDSLEYAN Editor-in-Chief; Orchestra 1; Varsity Basketball 4; Jr. Varsity Basketball 2, 3, Capt. 3; Intramurals: Baseball 1, 2, 3, Basketball 1; Spanish Club 2, 3, Pres. 3; Graduation Usher 3; 100 Per Cent Club in Math; Student Council 1; Yearbook Club 2; American Legion Boys' State 2; Stanley of "Our Miss Brooks."

J. MICHAEL GRANDOLFI

A big hit with the team

Honor Society 9 years; Second Degree 3 years; Third Degree 3, 4; ARDSLEYAN Advertising Editor 3; Manager Jr. Varsity Basketball 2; Jr. Varsity Baseball 1, 2; Intramurals: Baseball 1, 2, Basketball 1, 2; Spanish Club 2, 3; Stage Crew 2; Graduation Usher 3; Yearbook Club 2; Stanley of "Our Miss Brooks."





ROBERT B. HAMILTON

Bob sails around the bases.

ARDSLEYAN Snapshot Editor 3; Varsity Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Regional Choir 2; Intramurals: Basketball 1, 2, 3; Yearbook Club 2; College Club 4, Pres. 4; Electricians' Club 4.



CARQL HASHAGEN

Carol gets the base hits when they really count.

Secretary 3; Honor Society 7 years; Second Degree 1 year; Third Degree 4; Salt and Pepper 3, 4; Varsity Choir 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sports Club 4; Intramurals: Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 4; Yearbook Club 2; College Club 4; Miss Audubon of "Our Miss Brooks."

in a sportsmanlike way



ELLEN HEINTZ

Rookie of the year

Honor Society 2 years; Varsity Choir 2, 4; Girls' Ensemble 1; G.A.A. 1, 2, 4; Spanish Club 2, 4, Pres. 4; Yearbook Club 2; Doris of "Our Miss Brooks."



ROYCE PAULA KOORS

First string player

Vice-Pres. 1; Honor Society 9 years; Second Degree 4 years; Third Degree 4; ARDSLEYAN Photography Editor 3; Salt and Pepper 2; Varsity Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Clef Club 3, 4; Regional 1, 2, 3, 4; State 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals: Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Graduation Usher 3; Commercial Club, Vice-Pres. 4; Creative Writers' Club 2; Girl Scouts 1, 2, 3, 4; College Club 4; Faith of "Our Miss Brooks."



JOSEPH S. LEACH

Joe is our loudest rooter.

Honor Society 8 years; Second Degree 2 years; ARDSLEYAN Ass't Editor 3; Band 1; Manager Varsity Basketball 4; Jr. Varsity Baseball 1, 2; Intramurals: Basketball 1, 2, 4, Softball 1, 2; Dramatic Club 1, 2; Spanish Club 2, 3; Program Production Committee 2; Yearbook Club 2; Boy Scouts 1, 2, 3; College Club 4; Ted of "Our Miss Brooks."



DOROTHY McPHEE

Dot is a queen in every sport.

Honor Society 9 years; Second Degree 4 years; Varsity Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; County Chorus 2, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sports Club 3, 4, Sec.-Treas. 4; Intramurals: Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Yearbook Club 2; Girl Scouts 1, 2, 3, 4; College Club 4; Marge of "Our Miss Brooks."

as well as the experience

ROSINA A. MOBILIA

Rose is always working at her position.

Honor Society 3 years; Salt and Pepper 3, Ass't Editor 3; Varsity Choir 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Girl Scouts 1, 2, 3, 4.

RUBY MORETTI

Ruby is a good teammate.

Vice-Pres. 4; Honor Society 6 years; Second Degree 1; Third Degree 4, Corresponding Secretary; Salt and Pepper 2, 3, 4, Typing Editor 4; Varsity Choir 2, 3, 4; Clef Club 3, 4, Secretary 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Graduation Usher 3; Commercial Club 3; Yearbook Club 2; Elsie of "Our Miss Brooks."





FRANCES LAURA PEARCE

Toots is the backbone of our team.

Honor Society 9 years; Second Degree 1 year; Third Degree 4; ARDSLEYAN Art Editor 3; County Chorus 4; Varsity Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals: Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Program Production Secretary 1; Committee 1, 2; Creative Writers' Club 1; Yearbook Club 2; Girl Scouts 1, 2, 3, 4; College Club 4; Rhonda of "Our Miss Brooks."



LOUISE R. QUIST

All-star material

Secretary 1, 2, 4, Vice-Pres. 3; Honor Society 9 years; Second Degree 2 years; Third Degree 3, 4, Recording Secretary 4; ARDSLEYAN Typing Editor 3; Salt and Pepper 4; Varsity Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Clef Club 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4; G.A.B. 2, 3; Intramurals: Softball 3, 4, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Graduation Usher 3; Commercial Club 3; Yearbook Club 2; Sports Club 3, 4; Elaine of "Our Miss Brooks."

which carries them through.



GERTRUDE ROSLER

Gert is the fielders' choice.

Vice-President 2; Honor Society 8 years; Second Degree 2 years; Salt and Pepper Typist 4; Varsity Choir 1, 2; G.A.A. 1, 2; Yearbook Club 2; Elaine of "Our Miss Brooks."



RUTH A. SEELER

Ruth loves the game above the sport.

Honor Society 6 years; Second Degree 1 year; ARDSLEYAN Publicity Manager 3; Salt and Pepper 1, 2, Sports Editor 1, Circulation Editor 2; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 2, 3; Sports Club 3, 4, Pres. 4; Intramurals: Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 3, 4; Graduation Usher 3; Riding Club 1, 2; Creative Writers' Club 1, 2; Yearbook Club 2; Girl Scouts 1, 2, 3, 4; Sylvia of "Our Miss Brooks."



MARIANNE B. WERTHEIM

Marianne has the best batting average.

Reporter 3, 4; Honor Society 6 years; Second Degree 1 year; Third Degree 4, Vice-Pres. 4; ARDSLEYAN Ass't Editor 3; Salt and Pepper 1; Varsity Choir 2, 3, 4, Vice-Pres. 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Clef Club 3, 4; Orchestra-Regional 1, 2, 3, 4; State Orchestra 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Intramurals: Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Riding Club 1, 2; Graduation Usher 3; Creative Writers' Club 1, 2, Vice-Pres. 1, Pres. 2; Yearbook Club 2; College Club 4; Jane of "Our Miss Brooks."



ANN WILMOTH

Ace of the diamond

Honor Society 7 years; Salt and Pepper 4; G.A.A. 1, 2; Creative Writers' Club 1; Yearbook Club 2; Miss Finch of "Our Miss Brooks."

They handle hard drives with ease

ROBERT WILMOTH

Twong's the big man in the batting order.

Varsity Basketball 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4, Pres. 3, 4; Intramurals: Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Crew 3, 4.

ARDY

Sporting Spirit

Taking a post-graduate course. Honorary Pres. 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 9 years; Fourth Degree 2 years; ARDSLEYAN Publicity Manager; Varsity Choir Music Collector 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball Bat-Boy 1, 2, 3, 4; Graduation Usher 3; 100 Per Cent Club—Loyalty; Prompter of Senior Play.





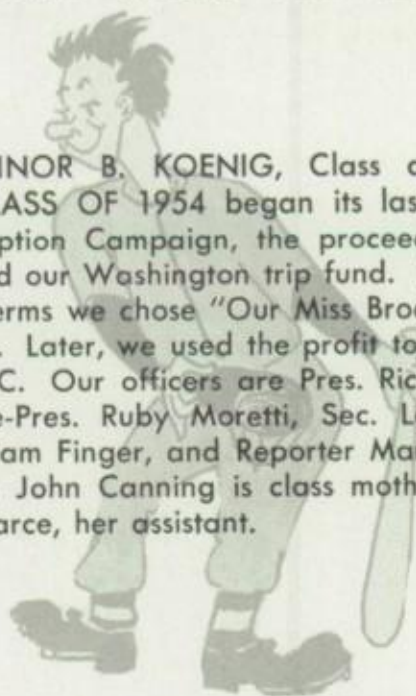
FRONT ROW: J. DeNardo, R. Frischmann. STANDING: D. Fluskey, Mrs. E. Koenig, R. Hamilton, A. DeRocha, M. Grandolfi, R. Bancroft.



STANDING: L. Quist, R. Moretti, R. Seeler, Mrs. E. Koenig, A. Wilmoth, R. Mobilia, L. Dimodugno, M. Flanigan.

and connect with all the pitches

MRS. ELINOR B. KOENIG, Class adviser—THE SENIOR CLASS OF 1954 began its last year with the Subscription Campaign, the proceeds of which went toward our Washington trip fund. Immediately after mid-terms we chose "Our Miss Brooks" for our senior play. Later, we used the profit to visit Washington, D. C. Our officers are Pres. Richard Frischmann, Vice-Pres. Ruby Moretti, Sec. Louise Quist, Treas. William Finger, and Reporter Marianne Wertheim. Mrs. John Canning is class mother and Mrs. Edward Pearce, her assistant.



FRONT ROW: B. Canning, R. Wilmoth. SECOND ROW: D. McPhee, L. Pearce, A. DePaul. STANDING: Mrs. E. Koenig, W. Bell.

FRONT ROW: G. Rosler, C. Hashagen, E. Heintz. SECOND ROW: W. Finger, J. Leach, R. P. Koors, M. Wertheim. STANDING: Mrs. E. Koenig.





even making the play,

Miss Brooks.....	Barbara Canning
Miss Finch.....	Ann Wilmoth
Mr. Wadsworth.....	William Finger
Mrs. Allen.....	Margaret Flanigan
Ted Wilder.....	Richard Bancroft
	Joseph Leach
Sylvia.....	Ruth Seeler
Elaine.....	Louise Quist
	Gertrude Rosler
Faith.....	Royce Paula Koors
Doris.....	Ellen Heintz

This year's main theatrical production was the SENIOR PLAY, "Our Miss Brooks," presented on the evenings of April 2 and 3 under the direction of Mrs. Elinor Koenig.

At long last, Miss Brooks, an over-worked English teacher, had escaped the responsibility of directing the senior play and was planning a Caribbean cruise. Her dreams touched on reality when Hugo Longacre, the handsome athletic coach, entered the scene. Suddenly



"Our Miss Brooks," a big hit.

her dreams were shattered as she was once again burdened with the play. From then on, problems arose one after another.

Ted Wilder, star of the senior play and also the star of the basketball team, was the cause of a disagreement between Miss Brooks and the coach. Broken Chinese vases, hidden basketballs and band instruments added to her worries. But all was overcome in the end to bring the play to a happy conclusion.

Hugo Longacre.....	Anthony DePaul
Miss Audubon.....	Carol Hashagen
Rhonda Allen.....	Laura Pearce
Jane Drew.....	Marianne Wertheim
Stanley.....	Richard Frischmann
	Michael Grandolfi
Martin.....	Joseph DeNardo
Elsie.....	Lucy DiModugno
	Ruby Moretti
Marge.....	Dorothy McPhee

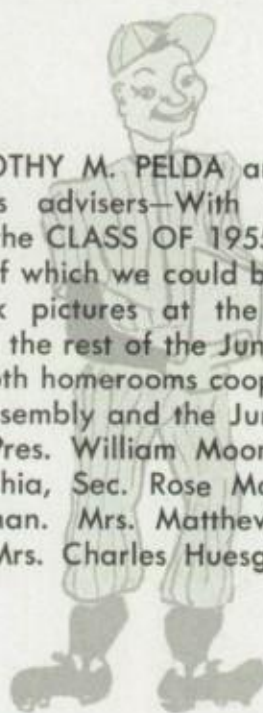


FRONT: R. Hermans, M. Cawley. SEATED: Miss H. Robbie, R. Casey. STANDING: C. Hade, R. M. DePaul, C. Huesgen, M. Fitzgerald, B. Berind, J. Freed.



FRONT: J. Baker, L. Arone, E. Flanigan, J. Bloomfield, H. Eisenhower. BACK ROW: M. Hesse, R. Carlson, S. Bertman, Miss H. Robbie, K. Acker, H. Colten.

These are our pinch-bitters who



MISS DOROTHY M. PELDA and MISS HELEN G. ROBBIE, Class advisers—With our adviser, Miss Pelda, we of the CLASS OF 1955 tried to create an ARDSLEYAN of which we could be proud. While we sold yearbook pictures at the village fair, Miss Robbie helped the rest of the Juniors with the pantry shelf booth. Both homerooms cooperated on a Christmas skit for assembly and the June prom. Our class officers are: Pres. William Mooney, Vice-Pres. Barbara Nardecchia, Sec. Rose Marie DePaul, Treas. Stephen Bertman. Mrs. Matthew Flanigan is class mother, and Mrs. Charles Huesgen is her assistant.

SEATED: K. Schoenstein, B. Nardecchia, A. Locuratolo, E. Lambert. STANDING: P. Larsen, J. Rudolph, R. Jaeger, R. McKirgan, J. Kovacic, D. Jensen, Miss D. Pelda.

SEATED: W. Mooney, Miss D. Pelda, A. Scott. STANDING: D. Suthergreen, M. Silk, J. Young, E. Waldemar, R. Johnson, M. A. Reuter, B. Steenwerth, F. Schmidt.





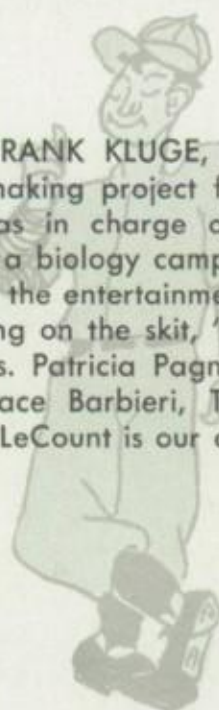
FRONT ROW: J. Manchester, D. Ankhelen, E. Mulvey, F. Cammisa. SECOND ROW: Mr. F. Kluge, F. Arone, J. Cawley, A. Cascarano. ABSENT: T. Ward.



FRONT ROW: P. Pagnoni, N. Solomon. SECOND: J. Raicht, K. Kamens. THIRD: J. Schmidt, S. Knapp, W. Hoffmann. STANDING: W. LeCount, Mr. F. Kluge.

help the sophs to avoid the jinx

MR. FRANK KLUGE, Class adviser—As our main money-making project for the year, the CLASS OF 1956 was in charge of the Sophomore P.X. We went on a biology camping trip to Croton Point and supplied the entertainment for the Subscription Party by putting on the skit, "Dragnet." The class officers are: Pres. Patricia Pagnoni, Vice-Pres. David Purdy, Sec. Grace Barbieri, Treas. Jayne Schmidt. Mrs. William LeCount is our class mother.



SEATED: A. Pasquini. STANDING: P. Cimino, C. Rochon, W. Townsend, G. Salerno, Mr. F. Kluge, J. Seeler, G. Barbieri, N. Cauvet, A. Wickersham.

SEATED: C. McKeough, S. Scott, J. Canning. STANDING: A. Kalmykow, R. Hughes, J. Osterberg, G. Fagan, Mr. F. Kluge, D. Purdy, F. Cimino.





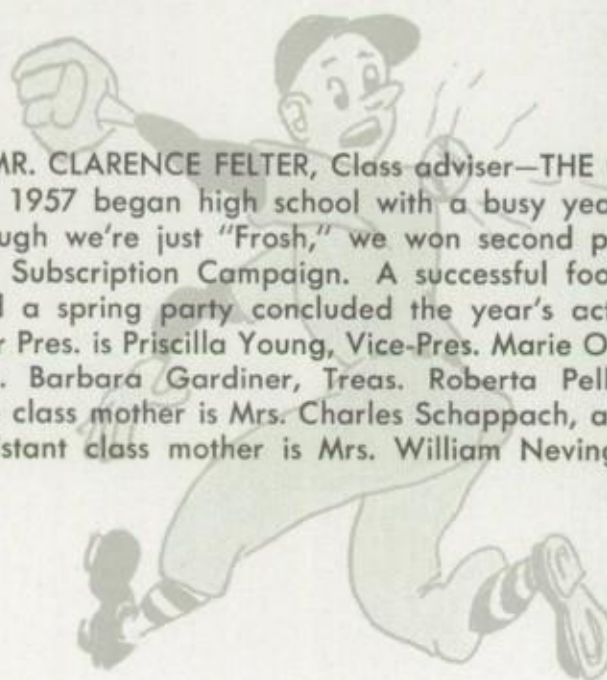
SEATED: M. O'Leary, P. Young, R. Pellegrini. STANDING: C. Proske, G. Ragone, D. Viola, C. Slaybaugh, D. Mooney, Mr. C. Felter, F. Schappach, R.A. Pearce.



SEATED: Mr. C. Felter. STANDING: N. Noschese, M. Mes-tern, C. Morris, B. Murau, F. Pestone, J. McPartland, D. Marrus, J. Rooney, L. Nevinger, J. Perillo. ABSENT: P. Mr. C. Felter, F. Schappach, R. A. Pearce.

and the rookies to learn the game.

MR. CLARENCE FELTER, Class adviser—THE CLASS OF 1957 began high school with a busy year. Although we're just "Frosh," we won second prize in the Subscription Campaign. A successful food sale and a spring party concluded the year's activities. Our Pres. is Priscilla Young, Vice-Pres. Marie O'Leary, Sec. Barbara Gardiner, Treas. Roberta Pellegrini. The class mother is Mrs. Charles Schappach, and the assistant class mother is Mrs. William Nevinger.



FRONT ROW: J. Barger, P. Carlyle, B. Gardiner, M. Christiano. STANDING: H. Hamilton, A. DeRocha, W. Bell, R. Bell, C. Copeland, Mr. C. Felter.

FRONT ROW: E. Bramble, L. Kreyborg. SECOND ROW: Mr. C. Felter, G. Koors, B. Lotus. THIRD ROW: E. Marron, L. Medovich, C. Lotus, J. Berind. ABSENT: A. Haraismowich.



Time Out!



We, the BOARD OF EDITORS of the 1954 ARDSLEYAN, have tried to give you a yearbook containing a more informal and extensive coverage of school life and of extra-curricular activities. Each class was photographed in at least two groups, resulting in a more recognizable picture of the individual. We attempted to show daily curricular activities through candid shots of classes in session. More space was allotted to our only sports, baseball and basketball, while action photographs of some of the year's big games will help us relive the exciting sports seasons.



FRONT: K. Schoenstein, R. M. DePaul. CENTER: A. Locuratolo, J. Baker. BACK: R. Hermans, K. Acker.

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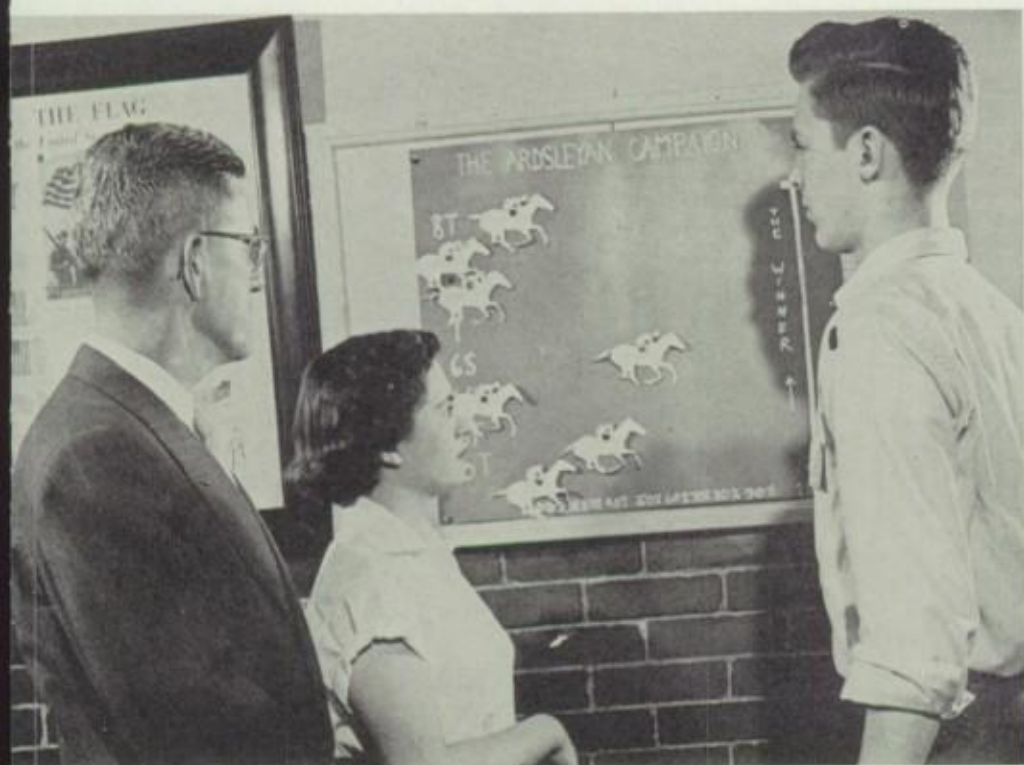
When we, the 1954 editors, returned from the meeting of the Columbia Scholastic Press Association, an organization devoted to aiding pupils publishing yearbooks, we brought back with us the gratifying news that last year's ARDSLEYAN had received a number one rating. Returning with many new ideas, we had high hopes for a medalist book in 1954. Quite a few of our ambitions have been fulfilled because of the invaluable help supplied by our faculty advisers, Miss Pelda, Mr. Felter, Mr. Hartman, Mr. Dicicco and Mr. Koors. We have seen the game through with this book holding the records. May you find it to your liking.

which show the players' records.

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Kate and Miss Pelda



Mr. Felter, Angela, Reg



John, Barbara, Steve, Betsy and Miss Pelda



The THIRD DEGREE consisting of twelve members, chosen for leadership and character, constitutes the executive body of the Honor Society. The most important part of their work has been that of training and initiating students to the higher ranks of the society. In the fall seventy-four students, ranging from the fourth grade through high school, became members.

It is hoped that the dream of a Memorial Park will soon become a reality. To increase the fund designated for this worthy project, the members sold tee-shirts to the grades.

Officers are: President R. Frischmann, Vice-President M. Wertheim, Treasurer W. Finger, Corresponding Secretary R. Moretti, Recording Secretary L. Quist.

R. Frischmann, Miss H. Robbie, D. Purdy, L. Pearce, R. Moretti, R. Bancroft, J. Young, W. Finger, R. P. Koors, C. Has-hagen, M. Wertheim, M. Grandolfi, L. Quist.

The officials who apply the rules of the game

The JUNIOR STUDENT COUNCIL in the main building consists of the presidents of the various classes from the fifth through the eighth grade. The officers for 1954 include Willis Anderson of Grade 8, President; Pamela Hutchinson, Grade 8, Secretary; Donald Clarke, Grade 6S, Treasurer. Principal Arthur W. Silliman is adviser.

At their monthly meetings members discuss all matters having to do with the welfare of the students and the honor of the school. The Junior Student Council inaugurated a clean-up campaign this year which included not only the school grounds but the streets leading from the school to the village. Through the profits of their annual seed sale, they financed some of the Mountaintop Club and other activities that benefit grade pupils.



LEFT TO RIGHT: G. Miles, J. Montaruli, R. Bell, D. Clarke, P. Koors, P. Hutchinson, W. Anderson, P. Witham, J. Adams, Mr. A. W. Silliman, M. Moccia.



The members of the COMMERCIAL CLUB meet every other week to give those persons interested, a chance to investigate the opportunities that business offers and to further prepare themselves to meet commercial demands. This is accomplished by having quest speakers to tell of their personal experiences in the business world and to stress those work habits which they believe most desirable. A study is also conducted of those jobs available to business graduates while more experience on the various machines better equips the members to meet the needs of that field. Our president is Loretta Arone; vice-president, Royce Paula Koors; secretary, Rose Marie DePaul and treasurer, Elizabeth Flanigan. Mr. Alex Diccico is adviser.

SEATED: L. Arone. STANDING: Mr. A. Diccico, R. Moretti, M. Fitzgerald, R. M. DePaul, E. Lambert, M. Silk, C. Huesgen.

and the reporters and secretaries from the press box

The JOURNALISM CLUB is the organization which publishes the "Salt 'n Pepper," the high school paper. Joey DeNardo, the editor-in-chief, has helped to improve the write-ups of news events and personalities, this year. With the help of Mr. Koors, the adviser, Louise Quist, copy editor, and Ruby Moretti, typing editor, the "Salt 'n Pepper" has tried to hold the gossip to a minimum and emphasize instead originality on the cover and cartoon page. Cynthia Proske and Carol Morris, the art editors, have made these new ideas very entertaining while Judy Baker, secretary, and Lucy DiModugno, treasurer, have worked together to keep the records in order.

FRONT ROW: M. Silk, R. Moretti, E. Waldemar, J. Baker, N. Noschese, L. Quist. SECOND: J. Bloomfield, M. O'Leary, K. Schoenstein, B. Berlind, R. A. Pearce, C. Proske, D. Suthergreen, P. Young. STANDING: L. DiModugno, J. Canning, C. Santore, W. Hoffmann, B. Steenwerth, J. DeNardo, J. Kovacik, S. Knapp, H. Colten, J. Freed, W. Townsend, Mr. Koors.





B. Berlind, D. Suthergreen, E. Flanigan, E. Waldemar, J. Baker, B. Nardecchia, A. Scott, M. A. Reuter, L. Arone.

The GIRLS' ENSEMBLE is composed of ten Junior girls demonstrating exceptional ability in the field of choral music. Under the direction of Miss Hallenbeck, this group has sung together at school assemblies and concerts. At Christmas time, the Ensemble was privileged to sing carols in the halls of the Ardsley Elementary School for the enjoyment of the grade pupils.

Most of the girls in the ensemble have been members of this group since it was first organized five years ago. A great deal of personal satisfaction has been gained by these girls in the enjoyment they receive singing together.

join with the team from south of the border

The two sections of the SPANISH CLUB meet with Miss Robbie, their adviser, on alternate Mondays. The Spanish I Club entered into the spirit of Christmas with a gay fiesta. The members learned how to order a meal in Spanish and used this knowledge on a visit to a Mexican restaurant. Co-presidents are N. Cauvet and J. Schmidt. C. Rochon is secretary.

The Spanish II Club visited the Hispanic Museum in New York and later in the year learned some popular Spanish folk songs. We felt we had gained a better understanding of our neighbors south of the border. Ellen Heintz is president and Barbara Nardecchia, secretary.

SEATED: G. Barbieri, N. Cauvet, D. Purdy, G. Fagan.
STANDING: Miss H. Robbie, C. Rochon, F. Cammisa, G. Salerno, W. LeCount, A. Wickersham, J. Schmidt, J. Osterberg.

SEATED: E. Waldemar, B. Nardecchia, M. A. Reuter, E. Heintz, A. Scott, A. DePaul. STANDING: R. Seeler, J. Baker, K. Acker, Miss H. Robbie, H. Colten.



Under the guidance of Mr. Paul Koors, meetings of the COLLEGE CLUB are held every other week at one of the member's houses. Robert Hamilton, who took the initiative in having the first meeting called at his house, was elected president; Barbara Canning, vice-president, and Marianne Wertheim, secretary. The purpose of the club is to give its members a better all-around knowledge of colleges. This was successfully accomplished by having guest speakers and question and answer periods at the meetings followed by going for "hot pie" before calling it an evening. Our adviser provided us with college announcements and information and the satisfaction of learning more about educational opportunities.



FRONT: C. Huesgen, M. Wertheim, C. Hashagen, D. McPhee, J. Leach, B. Canning, R. P. Koors, W. Finger, B. Nardecchia. BACK: A. Scott, M. Silk, R. Bancroft, R. Hermans, A. DePaul, L. Pearce, R. Hamilton, J. Freed, Mr. P. Koors.

to cheer and support our players.

Learning the techniques involved in producing a yearbook, such as the use of the proportion rule and procedure in cropping pictures, is the concern of the eighteen sophomores who compose the YEARBOOK CLUB. Miss Dorothy Pelda, the adviser, explains such confusing technical terms as offset, dummy, and glossy as applied to many yearbooks. Then when the members have become critics, they organize themselves into groups, compare the good points and weaknesses of yearbooks, and present their findings to the members. All of this knowledge is preparatory to editing the ARDSLEYAN during their Junior year. David Purdy is president and Grace Barbieri, secretary.

FRONT ROW: K. Kamens, G. Salerno. SECOND ROW: W. LeCount, J. Raicht, R. Hughes, Miss D. Pelda, A. Kalmykow. THIRD ROW: J. Schmidt, P. Pagnoni, N. Solomon, A. Wickersham.

FRONT: G. Barbieri, D. Purdy. BACK: S. Scott, G. Fagan, N. Cauvet, J. Osterberg, C. Rochon, F. Arone, Miss D. Pelda.





The ELECTRICIANS' CLUB has been assisting the students and faculty with a visual aids program. Besides helping the teachers run any type of projector, the members of the club did the lighting for the senior play, Christmas program, spring concert, and senior prom. In the spring, the organization gave an assembly program. Officers are President Franklin Schmidt, Vice-President William Hoffmann, Treasurer William Moon-ey, and Secretary Robert Johnson. Mr. Howard Hartman and Mr. Charles Horend are the advisers.

FRONT: R. Johnson, D. Viola, G. Koors, E. Bramble.
BACK: W. Mooney, D. Mooney, C. Slaybaugh, W. Hoffmann.

The electricians spark the team

The DRAMATICS CLUB under the able direction of Mrs. Koenig presented three plays and several assembly programs. The entire high school enjoyed the performances of "Ladies of the Mop," (pictured below) "Thanks Awfully," and "Flittermouse." A certain part of each meeting was spent discussing the mechanical skills used in drama-tics. Nancy Solomon is president, Barbara Berlind is vice-president, Pat Pagnoni, treas-urer, and Kate Schoenstein, secretary.

FRONT: K. Schoenstein. BACK: C. Copeland, F. Schappach, Mrs. E. Koenig, B. Lotus, N. Solomon, C. Lotus, J. Raicht, M. Fitzgerald, K. Kamens, B. Berlind.



On January 14, Mr. Vincent, the adviser of the CLEF CLUB, called the seven members together for one of their organizational meetings. They are Juniors and Seniors who are active in music and show outstanding ability in the larger musical groups. Their primary purpose is to act as the advisory board of the Music Department and make rules of conduct and effort for each music organization. Marianne Wertheim is president, Royce Paula Koors, vice-president, and Rose Marie DePaul, secretary.



SEATED: R. P. Koors, R. Moretti, R. M. DePaul, L. Quist, Mr. M. C. Vincent. STANDING: R. Bancroft, A. DePaul, M. Wertheim.

and give a helping hand indoors or out.

For many years the OUTDOOR EDUCATION program and the MOUNTAINTOP CLUB have provided a royal road to learning. The groups from five to forty hike the Appalachian Trail, reverently tread the paths at Valley Forge, once red with blood, connect local histories with Revolutionary grave yards, and marvel at God's handy work from the top of Mount Greylock. They learn to work together and develop traits of leadership and concern for the common good. They learn how to plan and take responsibility and to meet and overcome hardships. The secrets of Nature are available to these students who study the stars and tides firsthand. Some of these trips occur during school time and others after school or during vacation periods.

Late in September the annual biology field trip for the sophomores was held at Croton Camp Senasqua where the sixth and seventh grades also camped. Thirty-seven biology students spent a week learning some of the facts of botany and nature amidst surroundings ideally suited to the purpose instead of from books alone. They learned co-operative enterprise and individual responsibility by participating in cooking and housekeeping duties. Free time during the afternoon was spent relaxing, playing baseball or horseshoes, and swimming. After dinner and dishes were finished each evening, a roaring fire was built in the fireplace, and everybody gathered around to talk. All this made the week enjoyable as well as profitable, and each sophomore class can look forward to this trip with anticipation.





The beat of the drum and lilt of each song give us spirit

The GIRLS' CHOIR, the senior performing group of the music department, has earned an enviable reputation by appearing in several school programs and singing before community groups. Over half of the choir has been a part of the All-County Chorus, and Angela Locuratolo has been chosen through competitive examinations for membership in the All-State High School Choir. Mr. M. C. Vincent is adviser.

The ORCHESTRA, consisting of students from the sixth grade through the senior class, prepares programs for the student body, the P.T.A., graduation, and for its spring concert. Its advanced players gain experience through membership in the All-County high school orchestra and in the All-State symphony orchestra, which plays annually before the New York State School Music Association Conference. Mr. Vincent is adviser.





Dick Bancroft and Tony DePaul



Bob Wilmoth and Ron Casey



Connie Hade and John Young

to continue the game that we are playing.



Thirty-eight candidates came out for Coach Jackman's first call for BASEBALL. Of these, twenty-seven were selected for the Junior Varsity and Varsity teams, who were hoping that last year's pennant thrust would "rub off" on this year's squad and enable them to add another trophy to the case.

The Varsity members selected Dick Bancroft, an able pitcher and first baseman, to be their captain. Besides Dick, returnees from last year's victorious team are: Ron Casey, Tony DePaul, John Young, Jerry Freed and Mickey Cawley.

The opening game saw Ardsley victorious, 9 to 7, over Children's Village.

SEATED: R. Mooney, Ball-boy. FIRST ROW: J. Freed, A. DeRocha, Manager, M. Cawley, J. Cawley, C. Hade, J. Young, Coach M. Jackman. SECOND ROW: F. Arone, Manager, R. Bancroft, R. Hermans, R. Casey, R. Wilmoth, A. DePaul, R. Johnson.

Reg Hermans and Bob Johnson

"Doc" DeRocha, Joe Cawley, Fred Arone, and Richie Mooney

Mickey Cawley and Jerry Freed

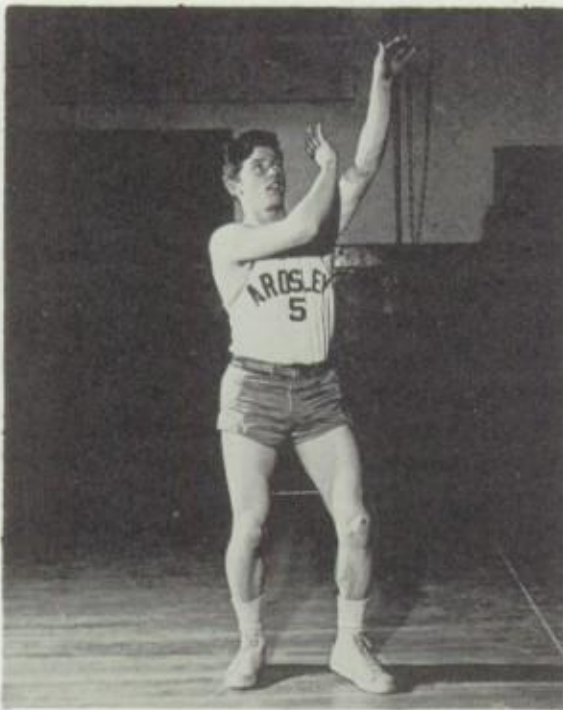


Not only is teamwork important

The JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL team had a fair record this year. They won seven games and lost nine, but valuable training was gained.

Chet Slaybaugh, one of the leading players of the Junior Varsity, won the foul-shooting contest in school and came in second in the league at the All-Star game at Dobbs Ferry.

Next year's Varsity will profit from the training in team play and consistent practice that Mr. Frank Kluge, the coach, has given to these thirteen boys.



Mickey Cawley



Dick Bancroft



Dave Fluskey



Bob Wilmoth

FRONT: F. Cimino, A. DeRocha, C. Hade, J. Cawley, J. Manchester, C. Slaybaugh.
BACK: J. Osterberg, G. Fagan, A. Kalmykow, R. Bell, F. Cammisa, F. Arone,
Manager, J. Freed, J. Berlind, Manager.



Tony DePaul



in every game that we are in,

Although the game-winning record of the VARSITY BASKETBALL team was not high, the scores indicated that the squad was a good one—far better than its record. Seven games were lost by five points or less.

Captain Tony DePaul received "the most valuable player" award as a result of his outstanding rebound work and consistently good performance. The "most improved" player was Dick Bancroft, the team's leading set-shot artist. Bob Wilmoth and Ron Casey were elected as our two representatives to the All-Star team. Mr. Michael Jackman is coach.



Paul Larsen



John Young

FRONT: R. Bancroft, A. DePaul, R. Wilmoth, R. Casey, P. Larsen. BACK: J. Leach, Manager, M. Cawley, R. Frischmann, D. Fluskey, R. Hermans, J. Young, Mr. M. Jackman, Coach, W. LeCount, Manager.



Reg Hermans

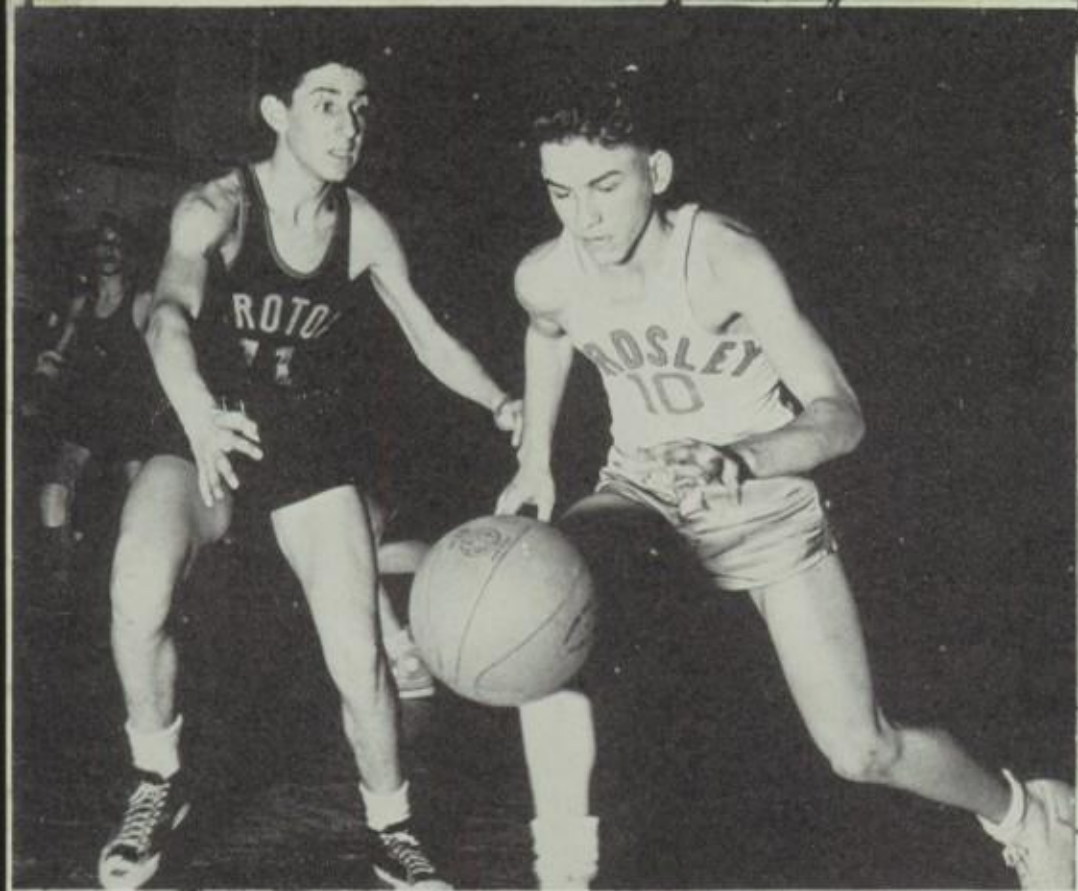


Rich Frischmann



Ron Casey





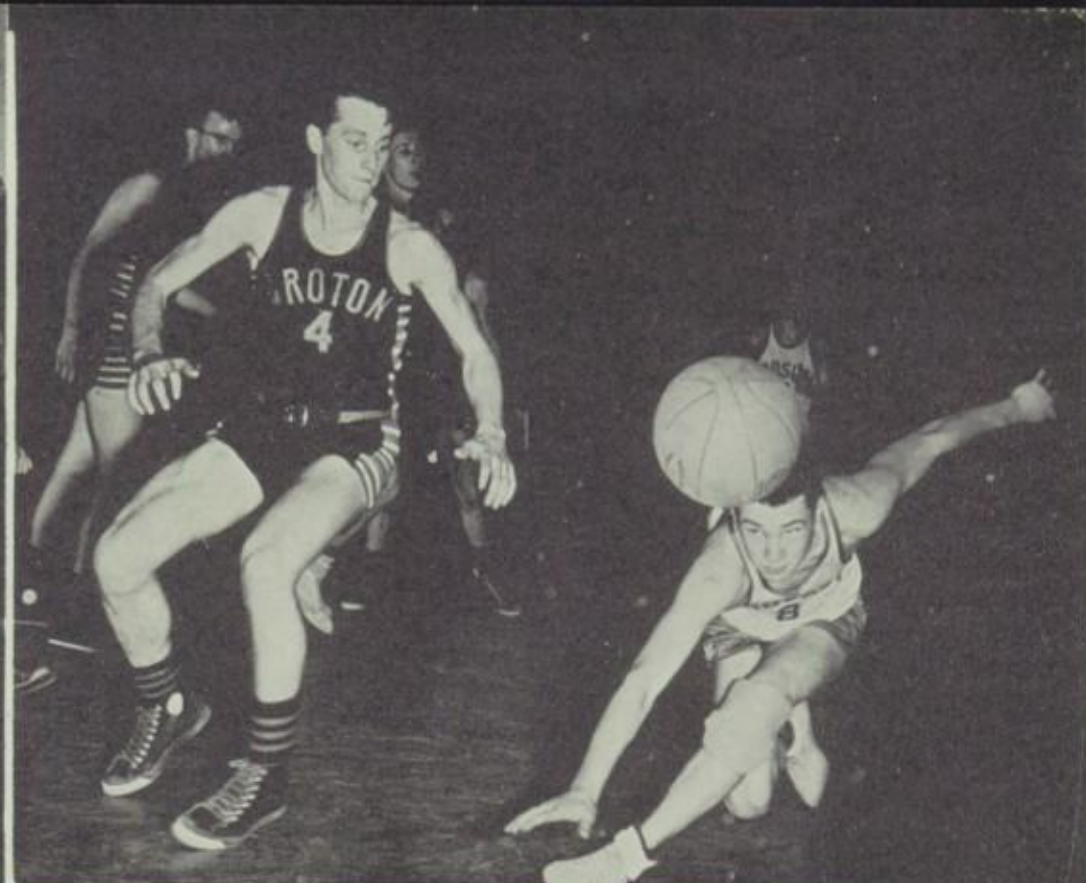
but when the competition

ARDSLEY HIGH SCHOOL

Dec. 11	Tuckahoe	*50-51
Dec. 17	Children's Village	59-27
Jan. 5	North Tarrytown	54-58
Jan. 8	Hendrick Hudson	61-66
Jan. 12	Sacred Heart	72-67
Jan. 15	Croton	49-54
Jan. 19	Irvington	59-69
Jan. 22	Dobbs Ferry	44-41

* Score—Ardsley Versus Opponent



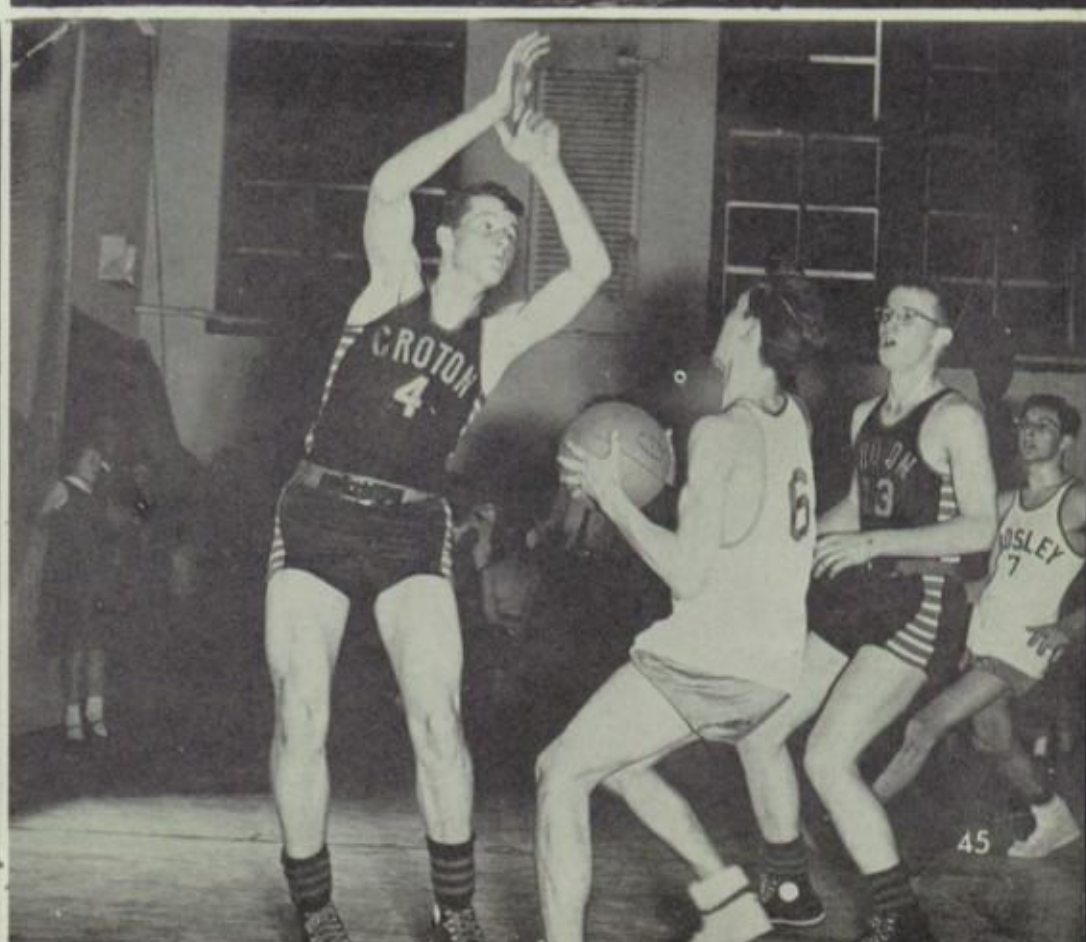


is at all close,

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Jan. 26	Children's Village	*73-41
Jan. 29	Elmsford	58-61
Feb. 2	Tuckahoe	38-51
Feb. 5	Hendrick Hudson	64-69
Feb. 11	Croton	50-71
Feb. 16	Irvington	58-55
Feb. 19	Dobbs Ferry	50-62
Feb. 26	Elmsford	51-54

* Score—Ardsley Versus Opponent



the cheers that are behind us

The purpose of the SPORTS CLUB is to provide leadership and to train officials who will conduct all Girls' Athletic Association and inter-class activities. Before the nine new members were accepted into the club, they had to pass a test and meet certain qualifications of leadership, sportsmanship, and initiative. During Easter vacation, all the members saw Radio City's Easter Show and in June went on the club's annual camping trip. Ruth Seeler is club president and Dorothy McPhee is secretary-treasurer.

FRONT: R. M. DePaul, M. Silk. BACK: B. Canning, Miss G. Roll, E. Flanigan, M. A. Reuter, C. Hashagen, L. Arone, R. Seeler, M. Flanigan, C. Huesgen, D. McPhee, L. Quist.



All girls interested in after-school sports can join the GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION. At the first G.A.A. mass meeting called by Miss Roll, the adviser, Louise Quist was elected our president and Marianne Wertheim, our secretary. We then played

a round of inter-class softball, followed by a long, exciting volleyball season.

Before we knew it, December was here and with it, basketball. After basketball came badminton, and then we went outdoors for a season of archery and softball.



give us a sense of victory.



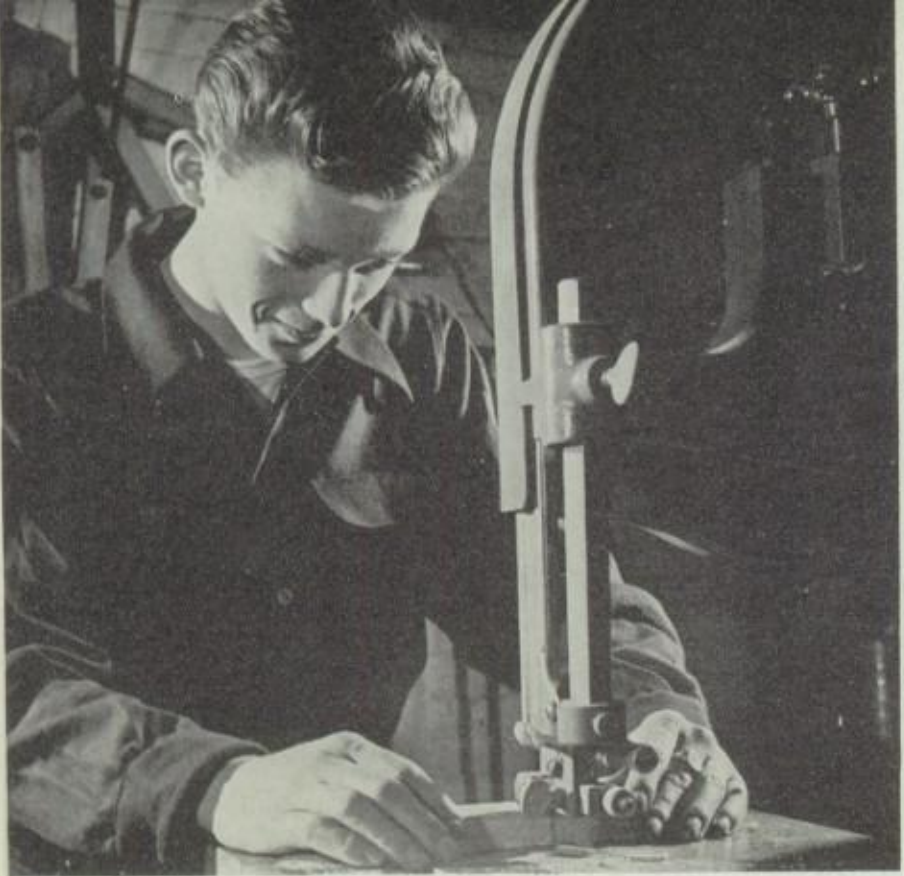
School spirit reached its peak this year through the efforts of the CHEERLEADING SQUAD. These ten girls, led by Margaret Fitzgerald, rooted the Ardsley basketball teams on to victory or made defeat easier to meet. With the aid of Miss Florence Stasiak, their adviser, the squad improved old cheers and invented new ones. Blue and gold outfits were purchased by the girls to correspond to the school colors. The best cheers were presented at the culminating event of the season, the All-Star game.

SEATED: M. Fitzgerald. SECOND ROW: C. Morris, C. Santore, B. Nardecchia, G. Barbieri, M. O'Leary. THIRD: L. Arone, R. M. DePaul, B. Berlind, C. McKeough.

Basketball honor teams of the GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION were chosen at the conclusion of the basketball season to play against the neighboring schools of Dobbs Ferry and Hastings. We also had inter-class competition. Throughout the year,

all the girls were divided into two teams, Blue and Gold. Both groups compete in every sport, and at the final picnic in June, after the supper and entertainment, a cup is presented to the team with the greatest number of points.

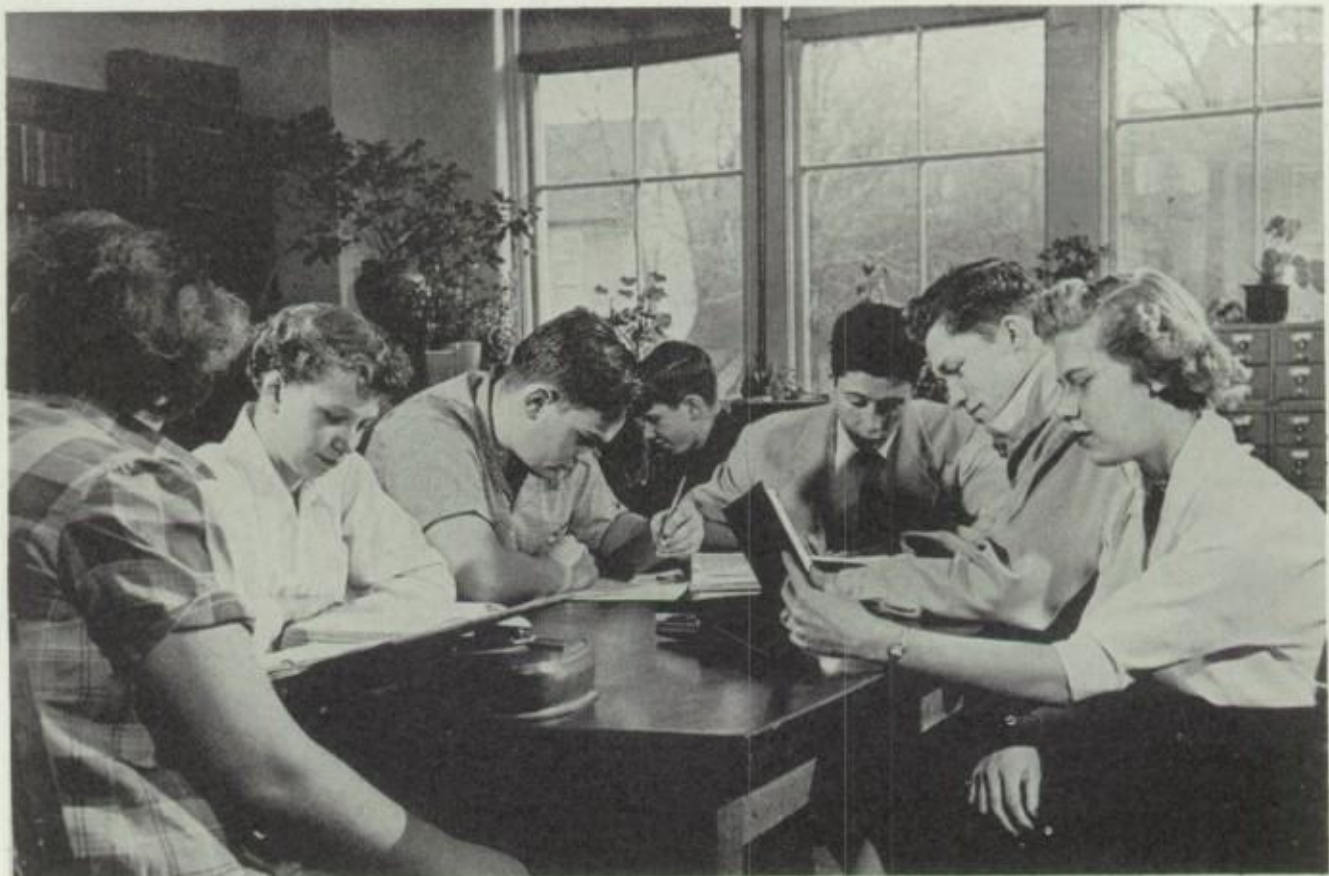




Dick Bell in shop



Connie, Myrna, Frank, and Stephen

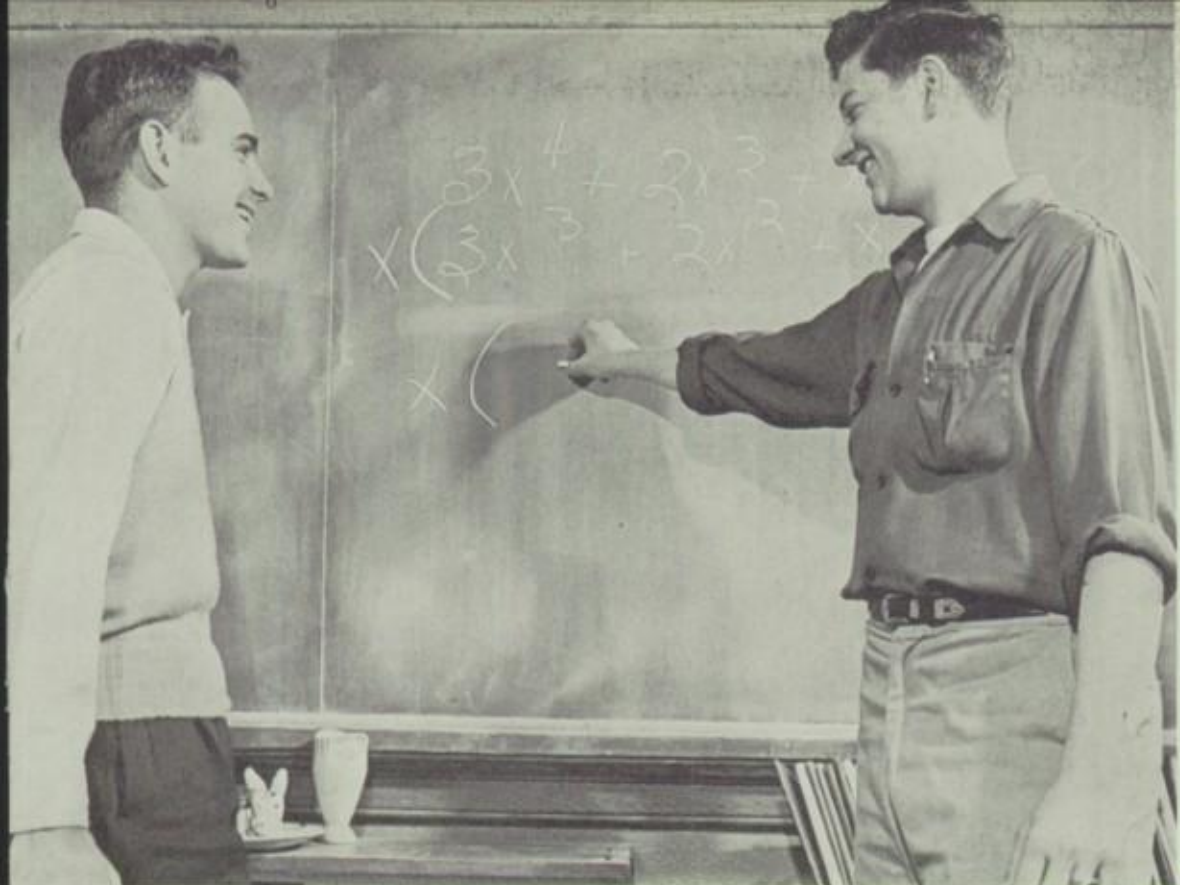


Dolores, Angela, Eileen, Jack and Carol

Junior-Senior study hall

Kate in "Ladies of the Mop"





Joey DeNardo and Mike Grandolfi



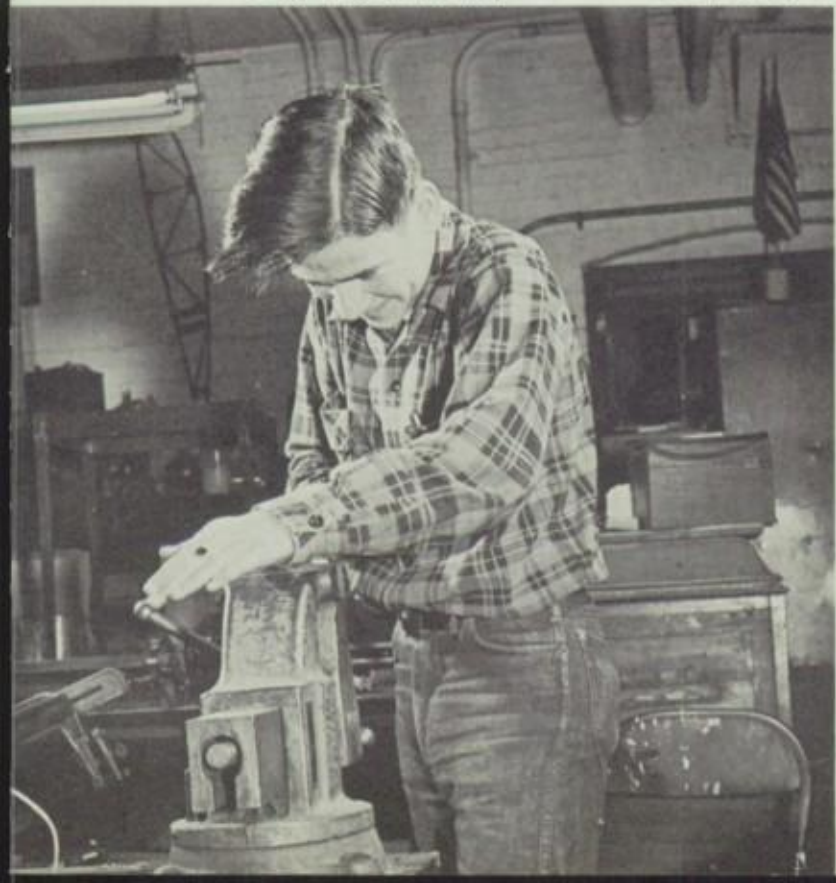
Eddie Bramble in shop

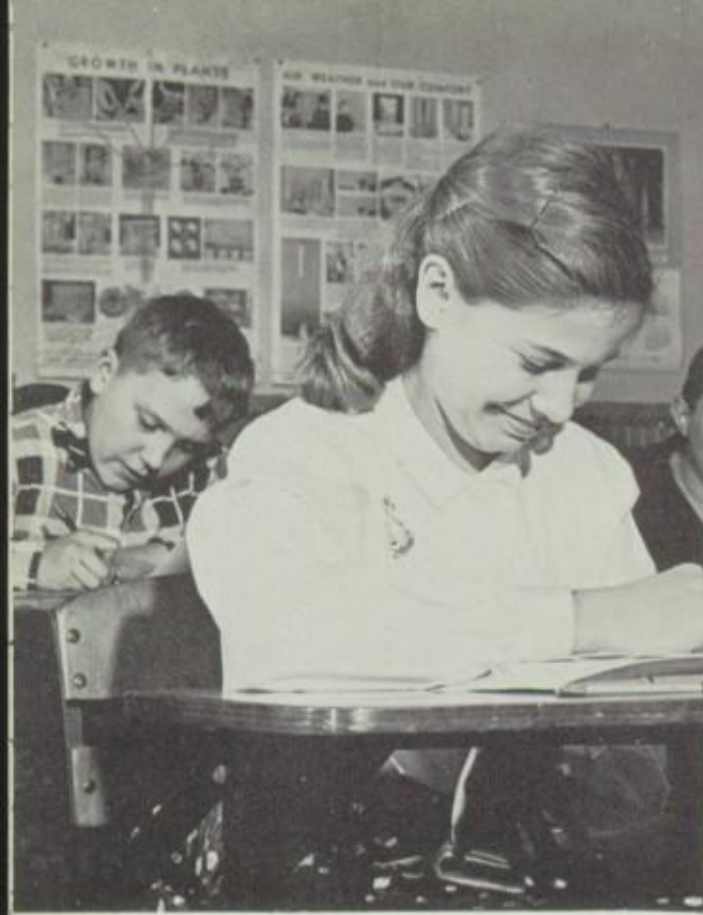


Garry Ragone in shop

Grace, Kathy, Fred and Andy before English

Warren, Nancy, Dave, Ray and Sam





The Little League





TOP—STANDING: M. Schultz, J. Whelan, J. Westervelt, L. Schoenstein, Mr. H. Thomas, S. Ward, L. Morrison, W. Meuser, K. Moore, M. Scheller.

Here is the grade school,



CENTER—SEATED: S. Sage, S. Hassell, M. Flanigan, J. Medovich, Mr. H. Thomas. SECOND ROW: P. Robinson, R. Plechner, B. LeDuc, R. Freundel, D. Maxwell, K. McComb.



BOTTOM—SEATED: Mr. H. Thomas. STANDING: R. Fitzgerald, P. Engelkirk, L. DeNardo, M. Cassens, F. Carlson, R. Anthony, W. Anderson, M. Baker, G. Greiner, L. Beall.

MR. HARLAN A. THOMAS, Teacher—During this, our graduation year, GRADE 8T has participated in our class parties at Mark Schultz's house, at the Mt. Vernon Skating Rink, and also the traditional eighth grade trip to Valley Forge. Most thrilling of all, however, was our prom and graduation. Our class officers are: Pres. Willis Anderson, Vice-Pres. Sally Sage, Sec. Paul Engelkirk, and Treas. Louise DeNardo. Mrs. Paul Baker is class mother and Mrs. Samuel D. Schultz, assistant class mother.



STANDING: R. Clute, R. Mooney, N. Reynaud, P. Hutchinson, T. Cappetta, D. Klein, I. Murau, Mr. E. Einhorn.



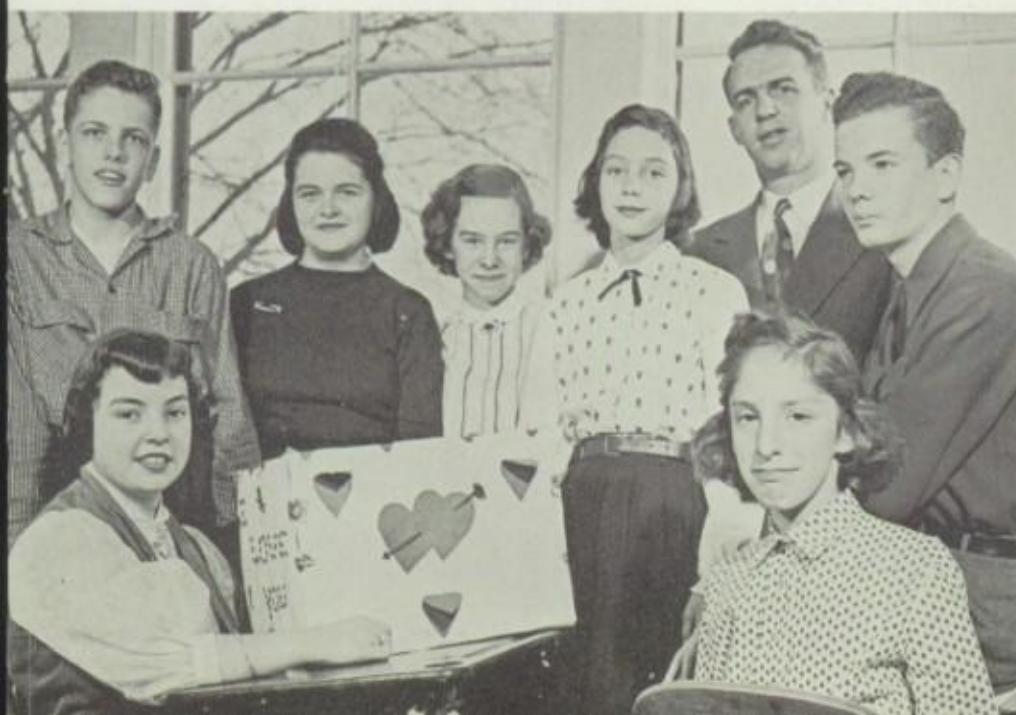
SEATED: Mr. E. Einhorn. STANDING: D. Guckenbiehl, P. Hunt, F. Sheldon, J. Murray, E. Calhoun, F. Scheller, M. Mack.

who play in the little league.

MR. EVERETT EINHORN, Teacher—GRADE 8E has participated in many social activities such as a picnic, a dance, skating parties and trips to nearby points of interest. We went over our quota on contributions to the Dobbs Ferry Hospital and sponsored the Hobby Shop at the school fair. Our class officers are Pres. Pamela Hutchinson, Vice-Pres. Diane Guckenbiehl, Sec. Richard Mooney, Treas. Ingrid Murau. Mrs. George Calhoun is our class mother and Mrs. Dominick Pasquale, her assistant.

SEATED: V. Duke, P. Weiss, F. Childs. STANDING: R. Mooney, J. Miles, T. Gannon, C. Streib, Mr. E. Einhorn.

J. Hashagen, Mr. E. Einhorn, R. Plechner, A. Pasquale, M. Larsen, S. Nash, E. Rooney.





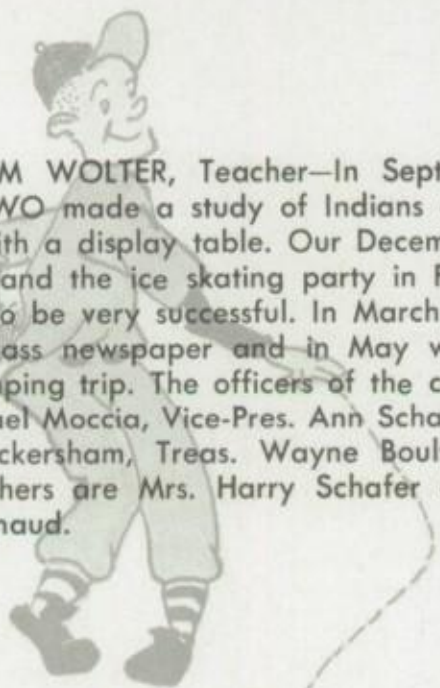
SEATED: P. Reynaud, W. Boulton, Y. Tunnard, A. Schafer, Mr. Wolter, J. Evans. STANDING: M. Moccia, K. Yocis, B. McKeough, J. Adams, A. Bliss.



FRONT: R. Sankey, Mr. Walter, B. Lehman, J. Kyff. BACK: C. Lehmkuhl, J. Hines, N. Fasnfeld, R. Wallitt, M. Smith, P. Wickersham, C. Fon, H. Ward.

They always cheer for the veterans

MR. WILLIAM WOLTER, Teacher—In September GRADE TWO made a study of Indians and illustrated it with a display table. Our December square dance and the ice skating party in February proved to be very successful. In March we published a class newspaper and in May went on a field camping trip. The officers of the class are Pres. Michael Moccia, Vice-Pres. Ann Schafer, Sec. Peter Wickersham, Treas. Wayne Boulton. Our class mothers are Mrs. Harry Schafer and Mrs. John Reynaud.



MISS MARGARET WESP, Teacher—Our year in GRADE 7WE has been very enjoyable partly because of our many extra-curricular activities. The skating parties and the square dance in December proved to be a lot of fun. For Christmas we decorated our room to reflect the holiday spirit and then had a party. Officers are Pres. Patricia Witham, Vice-Pres. Larry Nardecchia, Sec. Elaine Locuratolo, and Treas. Lorraine Quist. Our class mother is Mrs. Joseph Locuratolo and assistant class mother, Mrs. Larry Nardecchia.

FRONT ROW: P. Witham, E. Locuratolo, L. Quist. SECOND ROW: Miss M. Wesp, K. Waldemar, J. Istvan, D. Clarke, W. Whelan, P. Brandon, A. Cuozzo, L. Nardecchia, F. Cecelin, R. Halvorsen.

FRONT ROW: S. Benning, C. Speicher, C. D'Andrea. SECOND ROW: Miss M. Wesp, V. LeCount, J. Kipp, G. Whitney, J. Whitney, L. King, D. Negri, G. Osterberg, L. Mestern, V. Pellegrini.





FRONT ROW: B. Cook, V. Rosler, R. Ellis. SECOND ROW: S. Walther, G. Ramin, L. Drucker, D. Clarke, D. Ewald. THIRD ROW: R. Harten, C. Stahl, S. Suthergreen, J. Anthony, E. Lutz, M. Fagan, B. Zinck, C. Wolk, D. McComb, Mrs. H. Snyder. ABSENT: L. Hughes, P. McDonough.

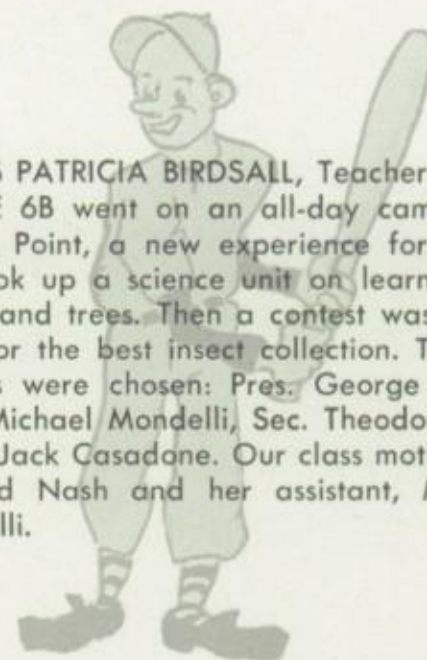


FRONT ROW: P. Chalmers, J. Saunders, W. Shaughnessey, A. Fournier, D. Nugent. SECOND ROW: Mrs. H. Snyder, P. Gatti, R. Hassell, J. Goldman, C. O'Connor, L. Kane, P. Jaeger, N. Hoy, V. Rochon, G. Bechtold, J. Kuhlmann, E. Aim. ABSENT: S. Kreyborg, D. McComb.

but have their own game too.

MRS. HELENA SNYDER, Teacher — We were proud to have the president of GRADE 6S, Donald Clarke, represent the school at the United Nations as the guest of UNICEF. In January we sponsored the assembly movie "Desert Herdsman" in accordance with our study of western Asia. We made a trip to the Museum of Natural History in May. The remaining class officers are Vice-Pres. Linda Kane, Sec. Rosemary Harten, Treas. Virginia Rosler. Mrs. John Harten is class mother with Mrs. Hal Cook as her assistant.

MISS PATRICIA BIRDSALL, Teacher—In October GRADE 6B went on an all-day camping trip to Croton Point, a new experience for most of us. We took up a science unit on learning common plants and trees. Then a contest was held in the class for the best insect collection. The following officers were chosen: Pres. George Miles, Vice-Pres. Michael Mondelli, Sec. Theodore DiPadova, Treas. Jack Casadone. Our class mothers are Mrs. Howard Nash and her assistant, Mrs. Michael Mondelli.



SEATED: G. Miles, A. LeDuc, C. Nash, J. Liverani, K. Barger. SECOND ROW: C. Cassano, Miss P. Birdsall, J. Casadone, T. Fatigate, A. Izzolo, T. Waldeier, T. DiPadova, C. Gruesing, P. Grutzner. ABSENT: S. VanLeer, G. Norton, S. De-Rocha.

SEATED: D. McDonough, S. Nilson, R. L. Ennis, J. Riccio, L. Dombek, R. Raicht, N. Hunt. SECOND ROW: M. Hinnen, K. Soderstrom, Miss P. Birdsall, M. Mondelli, L. Stanaway, P. Rose, J. Tino, J. Freeman, A. Kovacik.





STANDING: T. Gardiner, W. Geer, R. Bell, R. Kyff, E. Brookings, C. Bitting, A. Bennett, Miss E. Tryon.



SEATED: Miss E. Tryon: STANDING: K. Morrison, J. Purdy, M. Stahl, K. McGlynn, R. Grell, R. Wedekind, D. Hines, W. Duke.

They learn to take the foul tips

MISS ETHEL TRYON, Teacher—We in GRADE 5T made a unit study on the Vikings. Later we set up a sand table with scenes from New Amsterdam. As our contribution to the Dobbs Ferry Hospital, we painted cans to be used as vases. The class officers are: Pres. Robert Bell, Vice-Pres. Margaret Stahl, Sec. Karen Moore, Treas. Peter Muller. Our class mother is Mrs. William Duke with Mrs. Lewis Morrison as her assistant.

MRS. RUTH HAMILTON WESSELS, Teacher—Our main project in GRADE 5W was learning to like to read, and so we made miniature libraries. We decorated our room with a large relief map of the United States made out of salt and flour. Also we welcomed a girl from Austria to our class. The class officers are Pres. James Adams, Vice-Pres. Richard Neubauer, Sec. Caroline Murtough, Treas. James Esposito. Mrs. W. J. Osterberg was class mother, and Mrs. P. S. Stern and Mrs. Wallace H. Smith were her assistants.

FRONT ROW: J. Harten, H. Bernstein, K. Eckelman, W. Delagi. SECOND ROW: Mrs. R. Wessels, G. Winston, A. Jacob, M. Krauss, W. Papovitch, R. Neubauer, J. Cauvet, G. Redmond, C. Murtough. ABSENT: S. Smith, J. Adams.

SEATED: J. Osterberg, J. Mullahy, B. Gerow, Mrs. R. Wessels. FIRST ROW STANDING: J. Stern, G. Jenter, C. Townsend, G. Lundberg, S. Geyer, W. Lippman, J. Prestholdt. SECOND ROW STANDING: J. Esposito, F. Progner, B. Edelstein. ABSENT: P. Waite.





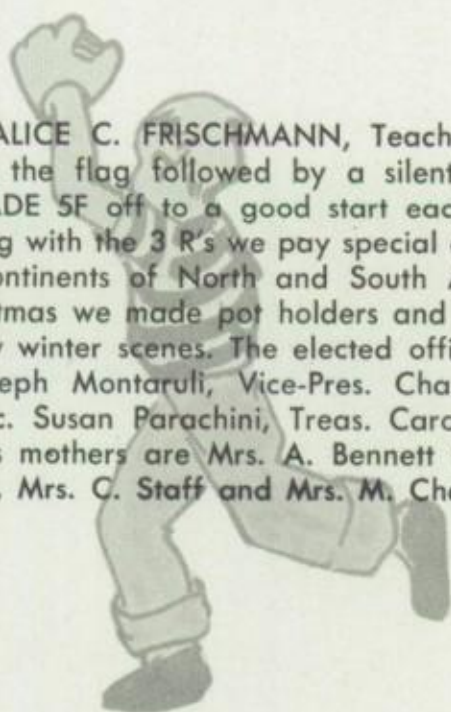
FRONT: Miss E. Tryon, K. Moore, C. Coggins, P. Sanseverino, L. Grandolfi. BACK: F. Purcell, P. Carlson, P. Muller.



SEATED: A. deTarnowsky, C. Gatti. STANDING: Miss E. Tryon, G. Rochon, R. Colten, E. Moore, E. Brady, D. Schaefer. ABSENT: W. Duke, R. Liposky.

and the hard knocks in life

MRS. ALICE C. FRISCHMANN, Teacher — A salute to the flag followed by a silent prayer gets GRADE 5F off to a good start each morning. Along with the 3 R's we pay special attention to the continents of North and South America. For Christmas we made pot holders and puppets and drew winter scenes. The elected officers are Pres. Joseph Montaruli, Vice-Pres. Charles De-Rosa, Sec. Susan Parachini, Treas. Carol Freed. Our class mothers are Mrs. A. Bennett with her assistants, Mrs. C. Staff and Mrs. M. Chenoweth.



MISS ETHEL M. TRYON, Teacher—GRADE 5T had 100% in the Junior Red Cross campaign and was in charge of enrolling all the grades. At Christmas-time we represented Mexico in a skit and even had a pinata on the stage. During the fall and spring we went on nature walks. The class is a very active one as all members have offices of various kinds even though the group is a large one.

LEFT TO RIGHT: J. Tino, Mrs. A. Frischmann, S. Chenoweth, C. Freed, E. Hanrahan, S. Parachini, S. Ullman, J. Reynaud, S. Istvan, G. Wehmeyer, E. McGovern, A. Paizo, D. Tidack.

FRONT ROW: R. Bennett, J. Speicher, F. Bramble, C. DeRosa, S. Pasquini, V. Bechtold. BACK ROW: J. Montaruli, J. Stagliano, J. Fon, Mrs. A. Frischmann. ABSENT: A. Sekaer, C. Staff, E. Harais.





SEATED: E. Anthony. STANDING: M. Burns, J. Smith, D. Goodman, J. Beckman, D. Knapp, B. Insky, Miss H. Edwards, A. Inversin, R. Cook, S. Witham, G. Laudato, W. Love.



SEATED: T. Pancoast, R. Brandon, K. Cassens, A. Ridings, E. Korbin, C. Jenter. STANDING: L. Adams, S. Werner, N. Stien, P. Osterberg, S. Witham, F. Kappler, F. Marron, Miss H. Edwards.

besides the glory that comes along.

MISS HARRIETT S. EDWARDS, Teacher—All of GRADE 4E participated in making scrapbooks on Switzerland in connection with our study of that country. Our two groups of color guards performed in assemblies during the year. We all enjoyed our annual spring trip to New York City. Richard Cook is the class president and Elizabeth Anthony, treasurer, with Jane Beckman, librarian. Our class mother is Mrs. Harold Goodman, and the assistant class mother is Mrs. Milton Knapp.

MRS. MARGARET Y. REUTER, Teacher—GRADE 4R started the term in the old building but moved into our modern school on October first. This year all of our work has been based on two themes, "Such Beautiful Things" and "Such Interesting Things." Stories about these fascinating subjects were combined in a magazine. Our class officers are: Pres. Frank Holser, Vice-Pres. Randall Nichols, Sec. Marion Speicher, Treas. Richard Reilly, Mrs. Lindley Nichols was class mother, and Mrs. Manton Martin is her assistant class mother.

FRONT ROW: S. Martin, R. Morris, P. Gruber, Mrs. M. Reuter. SECOND ROW: S. Mattson, M. Hoy, F. Dombek, D. Andrews, R. Reilly, K. Sullivan, F. Holser. STANDING: W. O'Leary, J. Walther, D. Schafer, T. Burke.

FRONT ROW: R. Nichols, V. Waldemar, P. Mestern, J. Dowe, Mrs. Reuter. SECOND ROW: J. Suthergreen, C. Wallitt, G. Seberg, J. Spellerberg, P. Burger, M. Speicher. THIRD ROW: J. Boody, C. Redmond, H. Ardanowski, E. Schultz. ABSENT: R. Pestone, R. Clute.



MRS. VIVIAN L. HILL, Teacher — This year GRADE 4H has tried to learn the value of expressing good character. We formed the 4-H Friendship Club based on this idea. We found that to be thoughtful, understanding, and kind to others helped us to improve and be happier ourselves. Elected class officers for this year are: Pres. Paul Koors, Vice-Pres. Edward Brown, Sec. Joan Brengel, Treas. Toni Waldeier. Our class mothers are Mrs. William Lemkuhl and her assistant, Mrs. Simon Yocis.



What makes the game?--



TOP—FRONT ROW: M. Scaperrotta, E. Brown. BACK ROW: T. Lofgren, C. Gruessing, M. Schappach, Mrs. Hill, J. Perrotta, C. Sekaer, G. Hellthaler, L. Perrotta. ABSENT: A. Sheldon, L. Britt, M. Lemkuhl, W. Izzojo, D. Murau.

CENTER—FRONT ROW: H. Unger, C. Salerno, J. Brengel, C. Weinberger. SECOND ROW: Mrs. V. Hill, P. Bell, A. Hellthaler, D. Rooney, R. Gannon, S. Young, L. Larsen.

BOTTOM—SEATED: P. Agnano, M. Norton, Mrs. V. Hill, P. Koors, L. Wirz, K. Yocis. STANDING: T. Waldeier, G. Crisi, J. Pascone, J. Sankey, R. Andresen.





FRONT ROW: J. E. Strand, M. Flanigan, M. Halvorsen.
BACK ROW: G. A. Paino, L. Viola, C. Meuser, W. Sommer,
M. Hillebrand, Miss Toomey. ABSENT: J. King.



LEFT TO RIGHT: Miss H. Toomey, A. Fatigate, P. Gucken-
biehl, J. Martin, G. Istvan, J. Casadone, E. McPartland, M.
Miles, K. Spellerberg.

Good sports who accept decisions



MISS HELEN TOOMEY and MISS RUTH HURL-
BUT, Teachers — We the pupils in GRADES 3T
and 3H have enjoyed our Christmas, Valentine,
and Easter parties. We were in charge of the
Party Shop at the village fair. We liked making
monthly spelling books and keeping a chart with
the names of all who had birthdays each month.
Our class mother is Mrs. Ralph Denike and her
assistant, Mrs. Thomas Fatigate. Mrs. George
Oliver is class mother of Grade 3H and Mrs.
Lee Hickey, assistant.

FRONT: R. Watson, D. Geyer, M. Watson, E. Mayershon, C.
Kolb, J. Lieberman. BACK: R. Prestholdt, D. Inversin, J.
Esposito, H. Marcus, P. Johann, J. Kipp, A. Mayershon, L.
Hudson, Miss Hurlbut, M. Saunders, J. Nugent.

FRONT: N. Oliver, S. Anthony, R. Dritz, P. Johnston, J. Kane,
F. Cartwright. BACK: S. Einhorn, M. Graham, J. Hickey,
S. Chalmers, Miss R. Hurlbut, J. Edelstein, K. Beall, C. Kap-
pler, R. Carlyle, C. Rayburn, A. Meisslin.





FRONT ROW: R. Gorton, R. Denike, L. Hoffman. SECOND ROW: W. Istvan, J. Tortora, R. Cook, R. Shepard, Miss H. Toomey, C. Moccia.



FRONT ROW: M. Kilstrom, D. Clarke, S. Whitney, W. Moore, D. Bliss, M. Tidaback, E. Copeland. SECOND ROW: Miss H. Toomey.

and rooters who don't complain.



MRS. JANICE RUOTOLO, Teacher—The bronze medal for the Honor Society was GRADE 3R's aim this year, and we have worked hard on our new subtraction and multiplication tables to help earn it. Each month a new group of class officers, president, vice-president, and secretary, are elected. In this way many of us have had a chance to show our leadership through class administration. Our class mother is Mrs. Francis McCormack, and Mrs. Martin Glaberson is her assistant.

FRONT ROW: M. Morano, M. C. Bailey, P. Marrus. SECOND ROW: J. Feurer, I. Bartlett, A. Ardanowski, L. Rosler, E. McCormack, C. Andrews. THIRD ROW: Mrs. J. Ruotolo, R. A. Bliss, D. Ashley, E. Grandolfi, J. Gibson, C. A. Geer. ABSENT: D. Gontar.

FRONT ROW: B. Atalese, D. Staff, P. Grandolfi, C. Theil, L. Freedman, R. Krieter. SECOND ROW: Mrs. J. Ruotolo, E. Gardiner, B. Duke, C. Hinnen, D. McKean, D. Nardecchia, B. Mackenzie, J. Glaberson. ABSENT: C. Kalmykow.





MRS. RUTH B. ADAMS, Teacher—In the fall GRADE 2A studied about the American Indians, made a huge teepee that we could get into, and concluded this unit by presenting an Indian assembly. Later on we studied about our community helpers. In connection with this project we made a large map showing where we live in Ardsley. Our year has been full of fun as well as work in our new school. The class officers are Pres. Christopher Roberts, Vice-Pres. Charles Fernandez, Sec. Gale Purdey, Treas. Daniel Solomon. Mrs. Brooks Roberts is class mother and Mrs. Montague Ullman, her assistant.



Cooperation and training



TOP—FRONT ROW: N. Leach, S. Seitz, E. Thorp, A. Goldfeder, K. Olson, W. Ullman. SECOND ROW: E. Grell, A. Tallcott, R. Levy, C. Fernandez, R. Bailey, Mrs. R. Adams.

CENTER—FRONT ROW: D. Benzenberg, D. Paterson, S. Chase. SECOND ROW: Mrs. R. Adams, W. Britt, J. Purdy, C. Schafer, B. Guillan, C. Crisi, S. Burr, G. Purdey.

BOTTOM—SEATED: K. Detarnowsky, K. Seus, P. Kuoni. STANDING: S. Engelkirk, S. McMurtrie, A. Levy, R. Wedekind, Mrs. R. Adams, A. Munck, D. Solomon, C. Roberts. ABSENT: A. Muller.





FRONT ROW: K. Burns, B. Munkelt, M. Weggenman, N. Jacobs, J. Washburn, R. Cabot. SECOND ROW: G. Murrow, J. Wolk, W. Welden, E. Nilsen, S. Nusbaum, G. Casey, N. Ferrier, Mrs. E. Farnham, M. Anger. ABSENT: A. Tenenbaum, D. Glassman.



FRONT ROW: N. LaMont, K. Doscher, L. Goldman, J. Prognier. SECOND ROW: D. Harris, P. Dachinger, R. Weiss, Mrs. E. Farnham, R. Clarke, R. Lindbeck, S. Williamson, R. Dickerman, M. Pappas. ABSENT: J. McCauley, E. Marks, R. Donoghue, R. Jacobi.

lead our team on to victory

MRS. ETHEL J. FARNHAM, Teacher—GRADE 2F has had a happy, busy year. In addition to our regular school work, we held club programs after school. In September we had a get-acquainted hot-dog roast at Woodlands Park and during December enjoyed having our mothers come to our Christmas club meeting. We also visited the Hudson River Museum in the spring. Mrs. George Wolk is class mother and Mrs. Lawrence Cabot, assistant class mother.

MISS ROSEMARY KEATING, Teacher — We pupils of GRADE 2K enjoyed having our classroom run like a village or school town with a mayor, two commissioners, and a secretary-reporter elected every month so that the positions could be rotated. As a part of school work we studied the people, such as the firemen, who help us in our community. Our class mother is Mrs. Nicholas Galetta and Mrs. Livio Crisi, her assistant.

FRONT ROW: S. DeNicola, M. Pestone, E. Nariski, A. Mattson, A. Groth, C. Fon, C. Delmerico. SECOND ROW: R. Shepard, D. McGlynn, L. Zito, Miss R. Keating, L. Fagan, B. Bertone, C. Wimazal. ABSENT: M. Sullivan, R. Fraguella, E. Singer, J. Tortora.

SEATED: M. J. Tancredi, N. Galetta, R. Whelan, H. Whitney, STANDING: M. Ellis, E. Trutt, M. Bitting, A. Ewald, J. Burger, K. Sage, M. Kashchy, T. D'Auria, D. Cook, K. Pascone, J. Crisi, Miss R. Keating. ABSENT: C. A. Bates, C. Kafalas, F. Lipton, R. Van Leer.





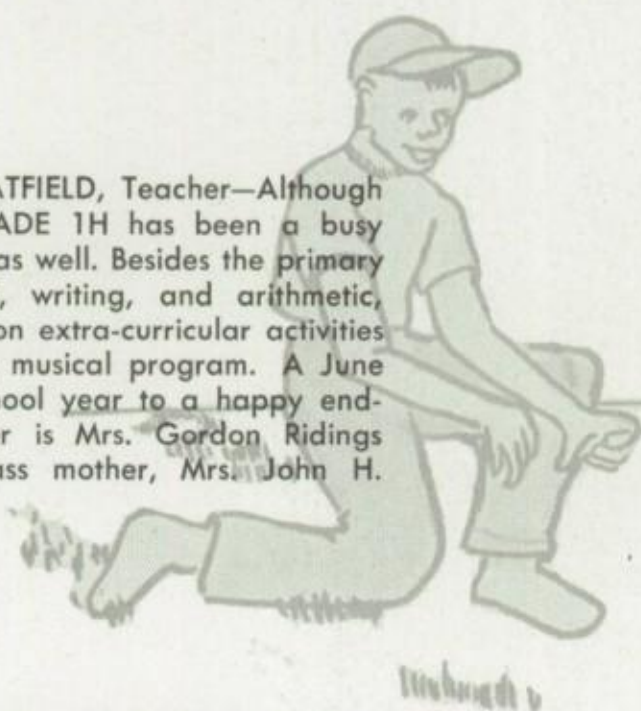
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FRONT ROW: J. Lamont, C. Hickey, K. Torkelsen, W. Haimsohn, J. Kerbel, S. Loren. SECOND ROW: M. Ridings, J. Doscher, I. Berkowitz, R. Tangney, R. Laudato, Mrs. L. Hatfield, T. Connick, T. Love, S. Turner. ABSENT: L. Liman, S. McDonough, D. Decker, C. Grell.

in every game that they play.

MRS. LOUISE K. HATFIELD, Teacher—Although this past year in GRADE 1H has been a busy one, it was enjoyable as well. Besides the primary objectives of reading, writing, and arithmetic, much time was spent on extra-curricular activities such as the Christmas musical program. A June picnic brought our school year to a happy ending. Our class mother is Mrs. Gordon Ridings and our assistant class mother, Mrs. John H. Thomas, Jr.



MRS. MYRTLE SEBERG, Teacher—Throughout the past year we in GRADE 1SE have read again about Dick and Jane and have made many new reading friends. We are very pleased to have a play period twice a week under the supervision of Mrs. LeCount and an art period once a week with Mrs. Drosness. Our Halloween, Christmas, and Valentine parties were a great deal of fun. Mrs. Clarence Felter is our class mother and Mrs. Richard Seitz, her assistant.

FRONT ROW: E. DeFeo, J. Stanaway, V. Roberts, R. Fisher, T. Dourmashkin, L. Cassano, A. Newman, J. Gibson. SECOND ROW: Mrs. M. Seberg, J. Chase, M. Bailey, B. Grutzner, R. Henderson, J. Warawoshin, R. Evans. ABSENT: J. Johnson, J. McQueen, D. Mellon.

FRONT ROW: D. Lotus, K. Nilson, B. Smith, K. Carlo. SECOND ROW: M. Hines, S. Kyff, W. Wallitt, P. Kuoni. STANDING: K. Olson, P. Felter, A. Winslow, E. Seitz, C. Calhoun, Mrs. M. Seberg, F. Gardner, L. Freeman. ABSENT: L. Harris, J. Gontor.





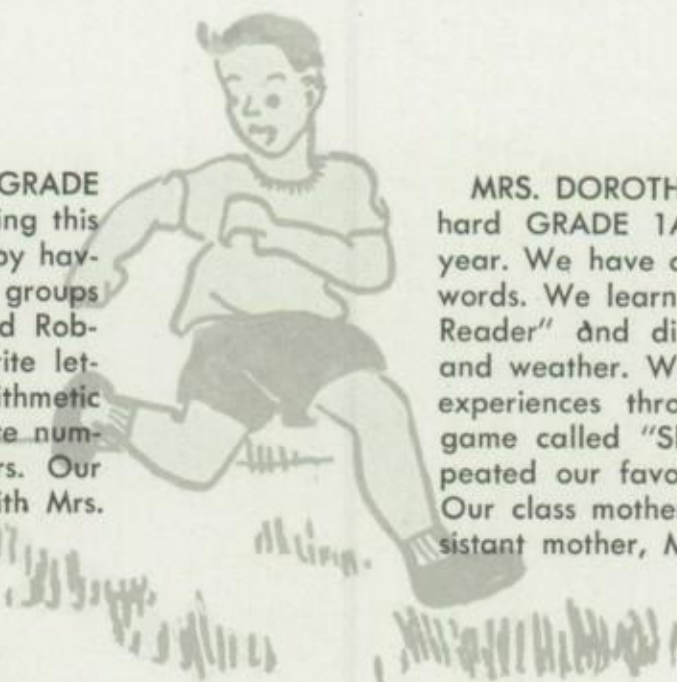
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FRONT ROW: K. Ginter, J. Berland, R. Cockburn, A. Park, L. Vincent. SECOND ROW: B. Mestern, L. Frowd, R. Batten, D. Hassell, E. Delagi, D. Love, T. Bersonnet, Miss F. Stasiak. ABSENT: J. Field, R. Harris, R. McCauley, D. Kurtz, L. Coppage, G. Green.

With all the practice they get,

MISS FLORENCE STASIAK, Teacher—In GRADE 1ST special emphasis was placed on reading this year. We made reading eight books fun by having the class divided into four reading groups called Chipmunks, Bluejays, Bluebirds, and Robins. By steady working we learned to write letters to our friends who were out sick. Arithmetic is fun too. We not only counted and wrote numbers up to 100 but added two numbers. Our class mother is Mrs. Harry Jacobs Jr. with Mrs. James Vincent assisting her.



MRS. DOROTHY ALSHIN, Teacher—By working hard GRADE 1A has accomplished much this year. We have a sight vocabulary of about 400 words. We learned science through our "Weekly Reader" and discussed such things as animals and weather. We expressed our own ideas and experiences through art work and a favorite game called "Show and Tell" in which we repeated our favorite stories or dramatized them. Our class mother is Mrs. Marian Ehrens and assistant mother, Mrs. Marie Agnano.

FRONT ROW: J. Grandolfi, M. Levin, S. Rabinowitz, D. Niciu, C. Spano, E. Sherwood, B. Delmerico, A. Morano. SECOND ROW: L. Lackman, S. Fatigate, Mrs. D. Alshin, G. Ehrens, J. Liposky, R. Denike, S. King, P. Taxter, R. Morrison. ABSENT: P. Fitzgerald, B. Kent.

FRONT ROW: J. Krauss, D. Mondelli, J. Istvan, M. Riccio, G. DePaolo. SECOND ROW: R. Kuhlmann, J. Culver, D. Harman, D. Holscher, F. Morano, S. Ramin, J. Scallero. THIRD ROW: Mrs. D. Alshin, R. Johnson, F. Bock, A. Stagliano, W. Bell, S. Agnano.





FRONT ROW: D. Filomena, J. Delmerico, P. Kuhlmann, A. Dambek. SECOND ROW: S. Flanders, M. Grady, C. Martin, C. Ramin, D. Grell, Miss N. Bloxsom, P. Lingg. ABSENT: J. Browning C. Glassman, S. Gerstman, P. Fields.



FRONT ROW: R. Montaruli, K. Soderstrom, L. Guckenblehl, J. Jayne, F. Johnson, V. Quattrocchi. SECOND ROW: P. Petretti, R. Holsher, F. Paino, L. Liverani, Miss N. Bloxsom, A. Forbes, J. DePaolo, T. Galetta.

one hard hit will surely send them

MISS NANCY BLOXSOM, Teacher—In September we felt a little strange but soon saw that KINDERGARTEN B was going to be a lot of fun. Near the end of the year we took a trip to the Bronx Zoo and then to the Andrus Farm in Hastings so that we could become better acquainted with the farm animals we read so much about. Mrs. Paul Lingg and Mrs. Samuel Werner are class mothers, and their assistants are Mrs. Charles Flanders and Mrs. Emanuel Marcus.

MRS. LOUISE SQUERI, Teacher—In the fall KINDERGARTEN S visited the Dobbs Ferry station and saw an express and local come through. Later on we built a train and ticket office in school. With pencils and crayons we worked in our "Before We Read" picture books. Then we started to read about Dick and Jane. Our class mothers are Mrs. Charles Frank and Mrs. Irving Jaffe with their assistants, Mrs. William Sommer and Mrs. Robert Rayburn.

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MRS. LOIS L. HOY, Teacher — We enjoyed KINDERGARTEN H and getting to know each other and our school. During the second half of the year we completed our program of reading readiness so that we might be prepared for first grade reading. For Christmas we made gifts for our parents and then attended the Christmas assembly program in the elementary auditorium. Our class mother is Mrs. Frederick Ginsbern, and assistant class mother is Mrs. Roy Johnson.



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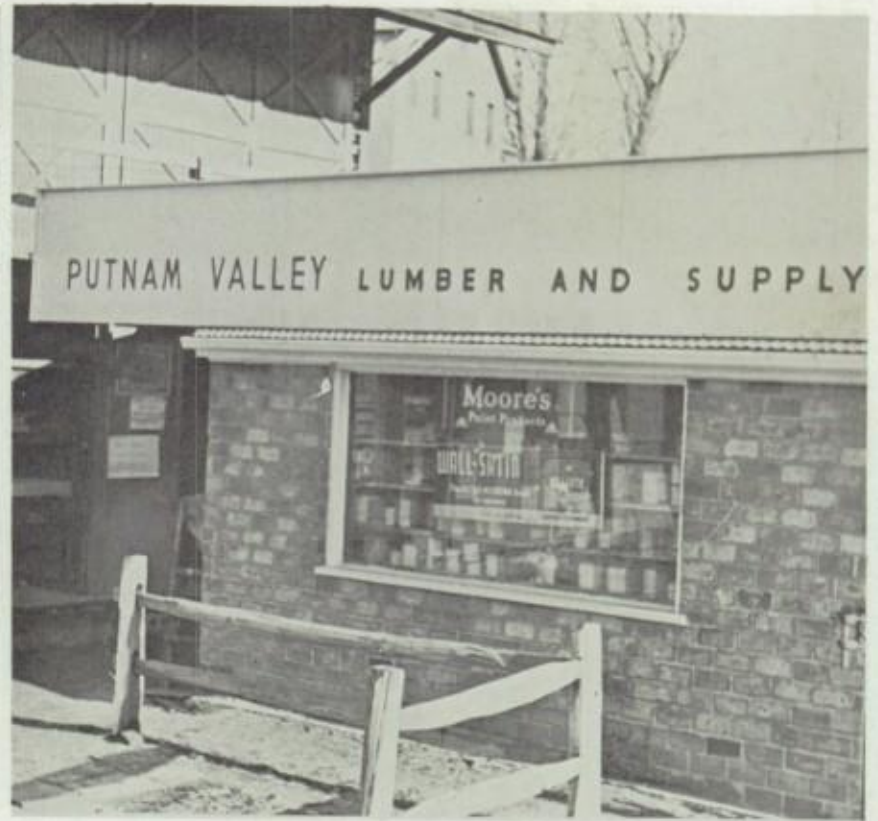
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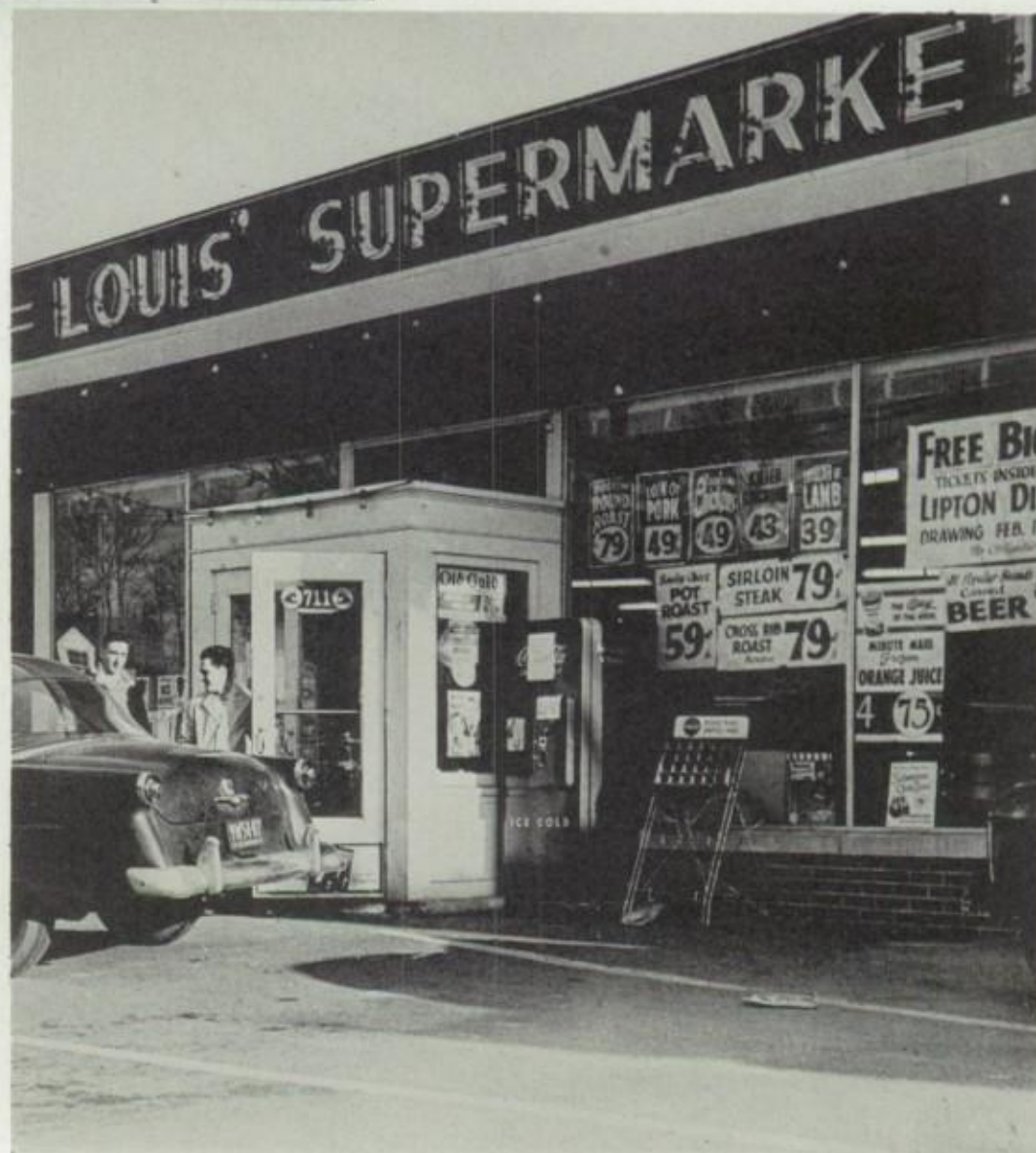
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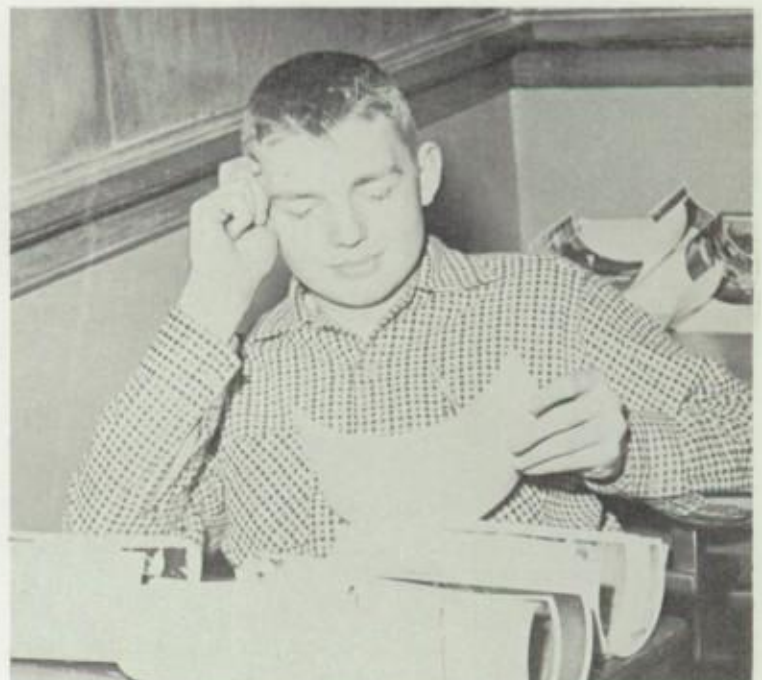
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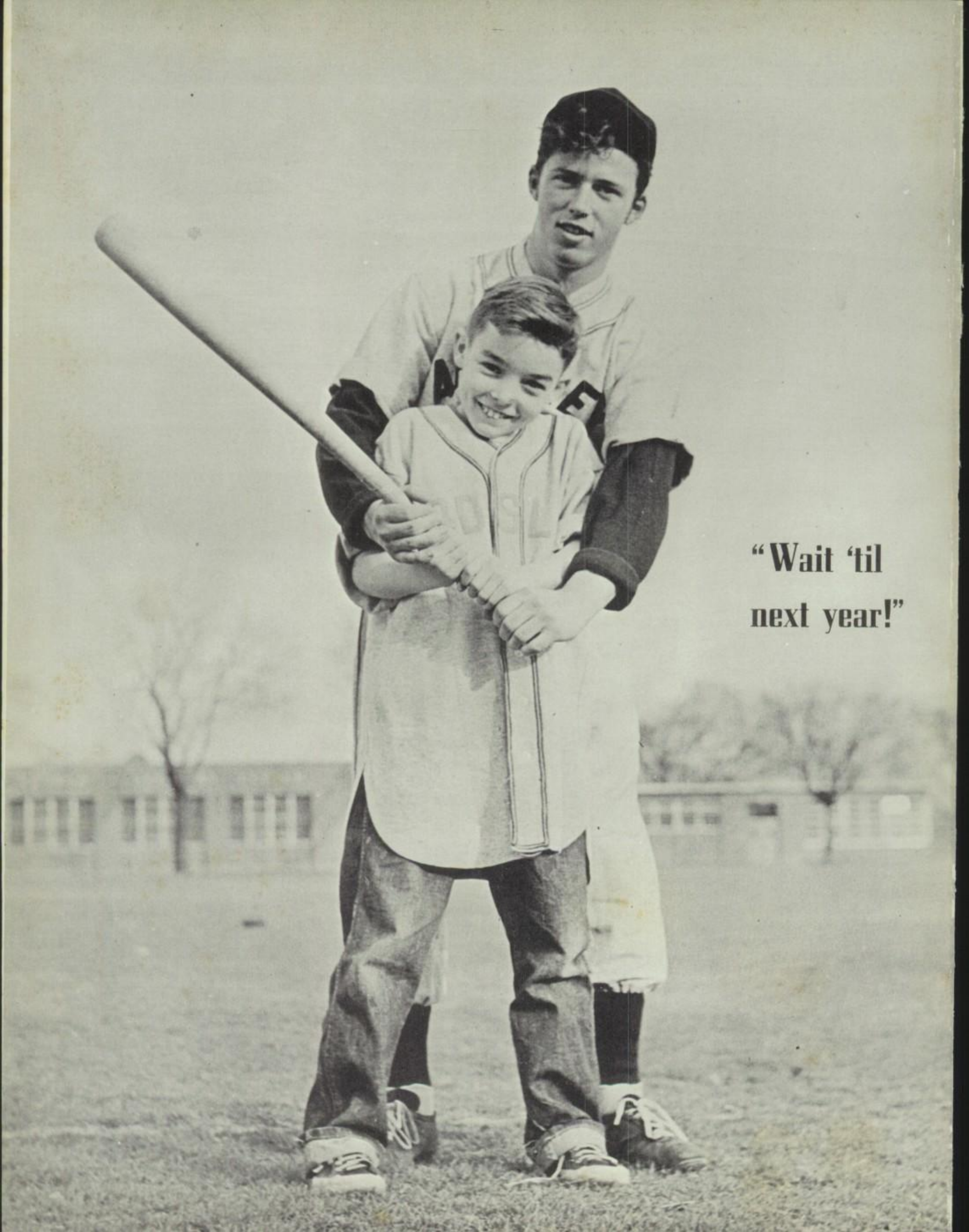
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